THE WEATHER
The indications are that there will be showers tonight and Thursday; fresh easterly winds.

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"DOLLY BURNS" GANG

Has Another Depredation to Its Credit

Tore Lead Off Building Belonging to Boott Corporation and Sold it

More depredations on the part of the celebrated "Dolly Burns" gang which has headquarters in the vicinity of French street were brought to light this morning when the case of Peter Vasilion charged with larceny was heard in police court.

Vasilion, who claims to be 18 years of age, but who does not look it, was charged with stealing 400 pounds of lead from a building belonging to the Boott corporation. He told conflicting stories and the court found him guilty, but deferred sentence until more particulars could be learned.

The building from which the lead was stolen is situated in Sirk street and was formerly used as a boarding house, but is now being changed into a storehouse.

Vasilion testified that he and "Dolly Burns" and Thomas Hughes went to the building one night and while he watched for the police officers, the other two, with the assistance of a ladder, mounted to the roof and ripped off the lead and brought it down in bags. If an officer or any person approached the place while the two men were on the roof, Vasilion was to whistle. He said that it was not necessary to give the signal, however, as they were not disturbed in their work.

He said that the other two sold the lead to a junk man, getting 60 cents for one lot and a dollar for the other, but they refused to divide with him.

The "Dolly Burns" referred to is Adelbert Burleigh, who appeared in police court a few weeks ago and was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory. He appealed and is now in jail awaiting the session of the superior court. Hughes was arrested the same time Burleigh was, but he escaped with a fine.

Major Noyes, who conducted the case for the government, said he had spoken to Burleigh, but has not at the present time sufficient evidence to bring him before the court on a larceny charge.

Judge Hadley decided to continue the case for another week, and held Vasilion under $300 bonds.

AN INSANE MAN

Killed Colored Girl and Shot Her Mother

WASHINGTON COURTHOUSE, O., May 6.—Bert Devaney, aged 42, white, a well known horseman and driver of John Hancock, last night shot and killed Lida Bird, aged 22, a colored girl, and shot her mother in the abdomen, inflicting a probably fatal wound. He then ran across the town to the barn of Silas Shackelford, where he took refuge. Refusing to come out Shackelford went in after him and was shot and killed by Devaney. Later Devaney committed suicide.

It is thought Devaney was insane. Following the shooting of the two women the authorities organized a posse and Company M, 4th regiment, Ohio National Guard, was called out, permission having been given by Governor Harris. The officers surrounded the barn and threatened to burn it.

Finally persons ventured up to the barn door and there saw Shackelford's body. Under cover they removed it to the outside. Nothing was then seen of Devaney, as but as several shots had been heard, it was supposed that Devany had committed suicide and upon going into the barn officers found his body, he having shot himself in the head. Devaney shot the girl and her mother when he called at their home and was refused admittance. The colored girl was a graduate of the high school. Devaney was separated from his wife, who lives at Darbyville.

Several years ago while marshal of Darbyville Devaney shot and killed Washington Hardington, who was resisting arrest and served a short term in the penitentiary for the act.

A GREAT WELCOME

For the Big Atlantic Fleet at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Four months and twenty days out from Hampton Roads, the Atlantic fleet of battleships and the second American Torpedo flotilla steam today within the Golden Gate and cast anchor in the harbor of San Francisco where a welcome characteristic of truly western hospitality awaits them. All last night the sixteen battleships lay at anchor off the outer lightship, gently rolling in the swell of the Pacific with the six accompanying black hulled destroyers bobbing about in their restless manner and making life uncomfortable for everybody aboard. The glow of the city lights in the midnight sky could be plainly seen from the ships and made officers and men alike impatient for the completon of the last of the originally planned cruise of the heavy squadrons. The path to the Golden Gate lay to the eastward while a few miles away in the wake of the long dimmed sun the night lights of the tiny Taralone islands twinkled their domestic vigils in entire ignorance of the immediate presence of the most distinguished naval visitors ever sent to the west coast of the United States. Wireless despatches sent from the ships to the shore during most of the long night hours told of the uneventful journey from Santa Cruz, the last stopping place, and of the preparations for the impressive entry into San Francisco bay under the glare of the noonday sun.

The movements of the fleet have been so timed by the navigators that the Connecticut will pass within the headlands of the gateway—Point Bonita on the north and Point Lobos on the south—exactly at 12 o'clock. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans who left the fleet after the first ten days of target practice at Magdalena bay and came to Pass Robles hot springs for treatment, rejoined the fleet yesterday at Monterey and took up his quarters in the emergency cabin of the Connecticut where he spent most of his time during the long trip down the eastern coast of South America, through the straits of Magellan and on up the western coasts of the hemisphere to be at the head of the line of sixteen ships on the day of their triumphal entry into the historic bay of the far western metropolis.

It was estimated by railroad officials today that more than 200,000 strangers have been brought into San Francisco alone during the last 48 hours. The fleet has been the topic of every city, town or hamlet within several hundred miles of San Francisco during the past two months, and every person able to make the trip either by railroad or horse drawn vehicles, has come today to witness the review of the fleet in the harbor by Secretary Metcalf on Friday. The secretary has been in the city for several days and on board his reviewing ship, the Yorktown, will see the entry of the magnificent line of fighting vessels today from just within the harbor gates. Every hotel, boarding house and private residence within the neighborhood of San Francisco is taxed to overflowing, and the crowded conditions are expected to continue most of the ten days' program of entertainment provided for the officers and men of the visiting ships. With the earliest streaks of the coming day, the thousands who wished to view the historic spectacle of the fleet's entrance, began this morning to make their way to points of vantage along the shores running both north and south of the Golden Gate.

The harbor itself was jammed with pleasure craft from the earliest hours of the day.

The saluting cannon of the Presidio under special direction of Gen. Funston will boom a welcoming national salute of 21 guns in honor of the ships as they pass within the harbor. First will come the Connecticut and then will folow at equal distances and in single column, the seven other vessels of the first squadron, the Kansas, Vermont, Louisiana, Georgia, New Jersey, Rhode Island and Virginia, augmented by the first of the newcomers that are to join the fleet permanently at this port, and which were picked up off the lightship, the Nebraska. After the first squadron will come the two divisions of the second, the flagship Minnesota, with Rear Admiral Thomas on the bridge, having resumed her old-time position at the head of the list of vessels which include the Ohio, Missouri, Maine, Alabama, Illinois, Kearsarge and Kentucky, with the second of the newcomers, the Wisconsin, bringing up the rear. After these eighteen battleships come the six destroyers of the second flotilla, the real little heroes of the cruise around the southernmost end of America. These indefatigable little craft had to fight every inch of their way from Hampton Roads, even to the cruise up the usually calm California coast, which during the past week has been upset and beaten by a lashing gale of especial intensity.

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POLICE BOARD MET

Granted Joyce License and Considered Park Hotel Case

GARDNER W. PEARSON, Proprietor Park Building.

DAVID J. ZISKIND, Before the Board as Junk Dealer.

Gardner W. Pearson Remonstrated at Refusal of Hotel License—Junk Dealers Gave Account of Their Work—Cohen Keeps Books in Hebrew and Cannot go to School—Big Grist of Minor Lunch Cart and Other Matters

The Joyce company, Charles H. Joyce, treasurer, was granted a first and fourth class common victualler and wholesale dealers' license by the board of police last night.

The granting of a license to The Joyce company has been hanging fire for a considerable length of time owing to the strenuous remonstrance on the part of creditors of the company.

Last night, however, the application was taken off the table and it was voted to grant the license.

THE OPEN MEETING.

The open meeting was called to order about 8.30 o'clock and the first matter taken up was the distribution of advice to junk dealers by Supt. Moffatt.

The superintendent stated that he had invited the junk dealers to appear before the board last night for the reason that for some time they have failed to make a report to the police as to the purchase of brass, lead, copper, etc., which they are supposed to report. Continuing he said: "I have no objection to these dealers getting a license, but I want the board to impress upon them that they must give a report. In the last few months we have received reports of brass and lead stolen and this stolen material must pass through their hands. There are two gentlemen present who, I understand, do not deal in any form with junk collectors. They do a wholesale business or buy from the manufacturers in this city. They buy in large quantities."

A representative of the E. Buxton &

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INTEREST BEGINS NEXT SATURDAY
Washington Savings Institution
561 CENTRAL STREET.

THE ICE TRUST

APPELLATE COURT TURNS DOWN ITS PETITION.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The appellate division of the supreme court of this state refused today to grant the petition of Wesley M. Oler, president of the American Ice Co., for an order prohibiting Justice Gaynor, Attorney Gen. William Jackson and the grand jury from investigating the ice company.

DEATHS

THURSTON—Paul A. Thurston, aged 1 year, 3 months, child of Charles W. and Mary Thurston, died yesterday at their home, 3 Leverett street.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

BOSTON, May 6.—Trading in the local copper market at the opening today was brisk, the tone reflecting the advance in the New York list. Orders were widely distributed although the buying of Amalgamated led the list.

Matthew Bigon, editor of the Queen City Journal, was a visitor at Lowell today.

MURDER MYSTERY

The Bodies of Twelve Persons Found in Barnyard in Laporte, Ind.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 6.—Laporte today is in the throes of a murder mystery that takes rank with the notorious crimes perpetrated by Dr. Holmes of Chicago and the Bender family of Kansas.

Five bodies, some of them dismembered and the parts sewn in gunnysacks, were unearthed yesterday in "soft spots" in the barnyard of the burned Gunness house, one mile out of town.

With the four imperfectly identified bodies recovered from the ruins of the house since the fire of April 28 which led to the arrest of Ray Lamphere, carpenter, on suspicion of murdering Mrs. Belle Gunness, 44 years of age, and her daughters, Myrtle Sorenson, 11 years old; Lucy Sorenson, 9 years and their half brother, Philip Gunness, five years old. There are nine bodies to be identified.

Mrs. Gunness is believed to be the murderer of the children. One of the dead men was lured to the Gunness home by a matrimonial advertisement. Lamphere was jealous of him and in that there may be a possible solution of at least one of the crimes.

Two of Mrs. Gunness' husbands died under suspicious circumstances. The life of the first, Max Sorenson, was insured for $5500 and that of the second, Gunness, for $3500. The companies paid the money over to her.

Twice in her career fire destroyed property belonging to Mrs. Gunness and in both cases she collected insurance from the fire underwriters. Today it is even intimated that the woman herself may not be dead—that she procured a female corpse, set fire to her own house and then fled leaving the world to believe she had perished in the flames. The first body dug up was that of Andrew Helgelein, a wealthy bachelor of Aberdeen, S. D., who came here in January and disappeared about February 1.

The limbs and head has been sawed off and placed in gunnysacks which had been sewed up. The body was nude. In a second excavation a skeleton believed to be that of Jennie Olsen, an adopted daughter of Mrs. Gunness who disappeared September, 1906, was discovered.

The girl was nearly 17 years of age at the time and it was reported by Mrs. Gunness that she had gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to attend college.

Continued digging brought the searchers to more sacks which contained the dismembered body of a large man. Decomposition had reduced the body to such a state that the only features recognizable as such were a dark moustache and dark hair.

Beneath this body was another layer of earth under which were found the bodies of two children, apparently about 12 years of age. There are several more suspicious places in the grounds about the ruins and the authorities resumed the search today with the chances of finding more bodies.

NEW DWELLINGS

To be Erected in Pawtucketville

According to applications for permits to build registered at the office of the inspector of buildings at the city hall, Mr. J. E. Lambert contemplates the erection of two two-family dwellings in the rear of 20 Gershom avenue, and in order to find room for the two houses there it will be necessary to move another building from the rear to the front of the same lot.

The estimated cost of the dwellings is $2800 each and it will cost $300 to move the building from the rear to the front of the lot.

DR. ROBT. BELL

Is to Marry a Boston Woman

Included in the marriage intentions appearing on the big book in the city clerk's office today, is that of Dr. Robert E. Bell of this city. The intention reads as follows:

Robert E. Bell, 47, physician, (widowed) and Lottlemae Mackey (nee Mackey), 36, (divorced), at home, 100 Stoughton street, Boston.

Another intention registered today reads as follows: William W. Crab, 21, operative, and Ruth A. Brooks, 21, operative.

FUNERALS

YUILL—The funeral of Mrs. Naomi J. Yuill took place yesterday from the home of her son, George W. Farnham, 383 Dutton street. Rev. George F. Kennedy of the First Trinitarian church was the officiating clergyman. There was singing of appropriate music by Mrs. Herace Hanson and Mrs. Sadie Duncan. The bearers were: Messrs. Charles E. Cashin, Allen Hoeg, George Keith and Henry Schofield. The body was sent to Newburyport for burial, on a morning train. J. A. Weinleck was the undertaker in charge.

Mrs. Yuill died at the home of her son, George W. Farnham, 383 Dutton street, on Saturday last. Besides a son she leaves two grandchildren, Mrs. Arthur H. Cashin and Erle Farnham; two sisters, Mrs. Maria Hoeg of Marblehead and Mrs. Hannah Keith of Newton Centre, and one brother, Nathan Duff of Advocate, Nova Scotia.

ELLIS—The funeral of Arthur F. Ellis was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of his parents in Riverside street and was largely attended. Services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Blanchard of the Eliot Congregational church and there was singing by Mr. Munn. The bearers were Alfred H. Perry, Willard Parker, Roland Black, James Chalmersey, E. D. Chase and Alvin Sykes. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker Young.

FUNERAL NOTICES

STOTT—In North Billerica, May 4, James Stott, aged 82 years, 8 months and 23 days. Funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from his residence in North Billerica. Friends invited. Kindly omit flowers. Undertaker Young.

PLUNKET—The funeral of Mary E. Plunket will take place on Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 9 Newhall street. Funeral services will be held at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker John F. Rogers in charge.

THE PRINCE CASE

Plaintiff Finished Evidence This Noon

Judge King Hears Motion to Take Case From Jury on Ground of Contributory Negligence — The Docket of 90 Cases Almost Finished

In the case of Nellie F. Prince vs. Lowell Electric Light company to recover $12,000 for the loss of her husband's life as the result of coming in contact with a live wire, when the plaintiff's side was finished at noon today, the jury was excused to allow Lawyer Qua to argue a motion to take the case from the jury.

Judge King stated that he would hear a motion only on the question as to whether the plaintiff's intestate was in the exercise of due care at the time of the accident.

In regard to the question as to the defendants' negligence His Honor stated that there was evidence enough on this question to allow the case to go to the jury.

The court called upon Lawyer Bent for the plaintiff to argue first on the question. "What evidence is there to show that the plaintiff's intestate was in the exercise of due care?"

Both counsel then argued at length on the question at issue.

Among the witnesses called by the plaintiff before the adjournment last evening were Drs. Varney and Irish, Arthur A. Racicot, Thomas E. French, superintendent of distribution of the Lowell Electric Light Co., George and William H. Rigby, of No. Chelmsford, James Hackett of North Chelmsford, and Walter I. Chase of Lowell.

This morning the plaintiff put on Supt. Hunnewell of the Electric Light Co. and recalled the Messrs. Rigby and W. Racicot. At the conclusion of the plaintiff's case Lawyer Bent introduced two burned branches cut from the trees at the Prince residence, showing how the wires had burned them. Mr. Qua's objection to their admission was overruled and he took an exception to the ruling.

Former Clerk Ralph Smith will place five short cases on the short list, after which the last 10 cases on the docket will come along and these will include the Jalbert accident cases growing out of the fall of a staging in Church street.

This session has been one of the smoothest and busiest in a long time and out of a docket of 90 cases, all but 15 have been tried or settled.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

The graduating exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will be held tomorrow evening. The buildings will be open for inspection at 7 o'clock and exercises will commence at 7.45 o'clock in the assembly hall, Moody street and Colonial avenue.

The address of welcome will be by President A. G. Cummock and Mr. John J. Connell, agent of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, will have something interesting to say to the students and others interested in the manufacturing industry.

Words of encouragement and advice will be spoken by Hon. Frederick Lawton and the presentation of certificates will be by Principal Charles H. Eames.

Principal Eames and others interested in the school are anxious to have the people of Lowell become better acquainted with the school and what it stands for. The little that the majority in Lowell know of the school is regrettably surprising.

The program for the graduating exercises tomorrow evening is as follows:

Selections.
Hibbard's Orchestra.
Address of Welcome.
President A. G. Cummock.
Address.
Mr. John J. Connell.
Selection.
Hibbard's Orchestra.
Address.
Hon. Frederick Lawton.
Presentation of Certificates.
Principal Charles H. Eames.

THE CARPENTERS

Postpone the Wage Demand Until Aug. 3

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of Carpenters' union, No. 49, was held at 22 Middle street last night and considerable business of importance was transacted, the principal matter to be brought before the union being a report from the district council relative to the present demand for an increase in wages.

At the present time the carpenters are paid 30 cents per hour for a 48-hour week and recently it was voted to demand 35 cents an hour and a 44-hour week. This was to go into effect on the first of May.

At a meeting of the union held a week ago it was voted to refer the matter to the district council, as the members of the local union did not care to do anything with regard to the business.

At last night's meeting Agent Michael A. Lee, who is also a member of the district council, read a report which was favorably received. The union has voted to postpone the demand until August 3.

GRUESOME MURDERS

Bodies of Five Persons Dug Up at Laporte, Ind.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 6.—One of the most gruesome murder mysteries ever unearthed in this section of the country, came to light yesterday, when the bodies of five persons, all of them having been murdered, were found in the yard of the home of Mrs. Bella Guiness, who, with her three of her children, was burned to death on the night of April 28.

So far only two of the bodies have been identified. These are Andrew Helgelein, who came to this city from Aberdeen, S. D., for the purpose of marrying Mrs. Guiness, whose acquaintance he had made through a matrimonial bureau, and Jennie Olsen Guiness, a Chicago girl who had been adopted by Mrs. Guiness. She disappeared in September, 1906, and it was said she had gone to Los Angeles to attend school. The other bodies were those of two men and a woman.

The body of Helgelein was dismembered and the arms, legs, trunk and head were buried in different parts of the yard.

It is believed by the authorities that Roy Lamphere, who has been under arrest since the burning of the Guiness home, on a charge of murdering Mrs. Guiness and her family, committed the Helgelein crime. Lamphere is a carpenter and the manner in which the body of Helgelein was dismembered leads to the belief that it was done by somebody familiar with the use of a saw.

In some quarters it is believed, that Mrs. Guiness may have known something of the murders of the five persons and it is not considered likely that so many could have been buried in her yard without her, at some time, becoming familiar with the fact. There have been rumors that Jennie Olsen Guiness had knowledge of the manner in which the first husband of Mrs. Guiness came to his death in Chicago. Little is known, however, on this subject.

It is known that Helgelein had loaned $15,000 to Mrs. Guiness and that he had another $1500 in his possession just prior to his death. It is considered probable that he was killed by Mrs. Guiness or by Lamphere or by both of them in order to procure the cash he had and to avoid the necessity of repaying the loan he made.

Lamphere, against whom a strong case of circumstantial evidence exists in connection with the burning of the Guiness home and the death of Mrs. Guiness and her three children, denies all knowledge of the bodies found today. He has said, however, on other occasions, that Mrs. Guiness was anxious to send him to an insane asylum because of his knowledge of her career. It was current gossip, however, that Lamphere was insanely jealous of Mrs. Guiness and of Helgelein and it was well known that the woman stood greatly in fear of him and had asked for police protection. The search by which the bodies were found yesterday was instigated by John Hegelein, the brother of Andrew, who has always believed that his brother was murdered and that he had never gone to Norway as claimed by Mrs. Guiness and Lamphere. He noticed some recently upturned earth in the yard and suggested to Sheriff Smutzer that an excavation be made to see if his brother's body could not be found. It was dug up after brief search.

No identification of the other bodies found in the yard is expected for some time. It is considered probable, however, that they are those of people murdered with the knowledge of Mrs. Guiness for the purpose of securing money.

Jennie Olsen Guiness was a Chicago girl, who was reared by Mrs. Guiness. When the girl disappeared in September, 1906, it was Mrs. Guiness, who reported she had gone to the Los Angeles school. The theory is advanced that the girl knew too much in connection with the death of Mrs. Guiness' husband, who succumbed to wounds in the head four years ago. Mrs. Guiness stated that her husband's injuries were caused by a meat grinder falling on his head.

Lamphere before the fire in the Guiness home, said that Mrs. Guiness was trying to get rid of him and have him sent to an insane asylum because he knew too much about her.

The home of Mrs. Bella Guiness, six miles from here, was destroyed by fire during the night one week ago. The bodies of the woman and her three children were found in the ruins. The children were: Myrtle, aged 11; Lucy, aged 9, and Phillip, aged 5 years. Joseph Maxwell, an employe, barely escaped from the burning house. The head of Mrs. Guiness was missing from the charred trunk. It has not been found.

Soon after the fire, Roy Lamphere was arrested. He acknowledged that he knew of the fire, but said that he had only seen it as he passed the house at 3 o'clock in the morning on his way to work. He is alleged to have annoyed Mrs. Guiness with his attentions. When put through the "sweating" process, his stories were so conflicting that he was held without bail.

Andrew Helgelein became acquainted with Mrs. Guiness through a matrimonial agency. At that time Helgelein spent almost a month visiting Mrs. Guiness and others in this city. He was supposed to have started on a trip to Norway and Sweden. He had not been heard of since. Helgelein, who was a well dressed young man from Mansfield, appeared, in town one day, last winter with Mrs. Guiness and called at the savings bank. He had with him a draft for $29.0 which he wished cashed. The bank did not know the man and it would not accept Mrs. Guiness' indorsement for so large an amount and so the draft was left there for collection. It was drawn on a bank in Mansfield, S. D. In a few days the money came for the draft.

Apparently this money was turned over by Helgelein to Mrs. Guiness, for immediately thereafter she paid a note of $500 at the bank and paid other bills, after which she made a deposit of about $700 in the State bank. About the time this man arrived Roy Lamphere, who had been working for Mrs. Guiness, came to the sheriff and told him that there was a strange man at the Guiness home. Lamphere said that the man came from Mansfield, S. D., and that he was wanted there for murder and robbery. The sheriff put an officer to watching the man and an investigation was begun. The investigation disclosed that there had been no murder committed in Mansfield and that this man was not wanted there. Lamphere claimed to have received his information in a letter from friends in Mansfield. The last seen here of Helgelein was one morning some days later when he left for Chicago. A few days afterward the savings bank received an inquiry from Mansfield, it being stated that Helgelein had not returned there and his friends were mystified.

Assistant Cashier Buck went to the Guiness house and interviewed Mrs. Guiness and the woman is alleged to have said:

"Do they think I made away with him too?"

She then explained that the man was on his way to Norway to visit and came here to pay her the money which she had loaned him some time ago.

While questioning Joseph Maxwell, a hired hand on the Guiness farm, A. K. Helgelein learned of the mysterious digging of holes by him, all of them being filled at a later date by Mrs. Guiness. The bodies were only four feet underground and were enclosed in Gunna sacks. An expressman told of the delivery of five trunks to the Guiness farm during the last six months and this fact has caused the authorities to work on the theory that the place was a clearing house for murderers. They suspect that wealthy persons after being lured to Chicago and killed were packed in these trunks and sent to Laporte and disposed of.

The developments of yesterday also caused the authorities to recall that both husbands of Mrs. Guiness died under suspicious circumstances. The first, Max Sorensen, was insured for $8,500, and the second, Guiness, for $3,500. This insurance was paid over to Mrs. Guiness by the companies.

While a resident of Austin, the home of Mrs. Guiness was burned and although some questions as to the origin of the fire arose, the insurance was collected. With money secured from insurance on the death of her husband, Mrs. Guiness bought a confectionery store in Chicago. A short time later the store was destroyed by fire, the origin of which was suspicious, but the insurance companies could not attach any blame to Mrs. Guiness and paid the claims.

That Mrs. Guiness was evidenty contemplating another marriage is believed by the officers as the result of the receipt of a letter Wednesday by Executor Fogle, addressed to Mrs. Guiness. It is written in Norwegian and is from Carl Peterson, of Waupeca, Wis.

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THE REPUBLICANS

Played a Joke on the Democrats

WASHINGTON, May 6.—A practical joke perpetrated on the democrats held the house in session until 7.21 o'clock last night. The chief plotters were Representatives Keidenburg and McGavin of Illinois, and Watson of Indiana, although it was whispered that Speaker Cannon knew about it in advance. So carefully was the movement concealed from Mr. Payne, the majority leader, that he was astounded when republicans began to vote against the usual motion made by him shortly after 5 o'clock to take a recess until 11.30 today. When the whole thing was explained to him he voted against his own motion along with his colleagues. The object was to turn the tables on the democrats for their tactics recently and keep them in the chamber until about the hour of the republican caucus and "then put them out" as some plotters said. The program was successfully carried through with the exception that in order to do it the republicans were forced by Mr. Clark, of Missouri to vote favorably on his motion to take a recess. The republicans so managed things that a quorum would disappear at once after a vote necessitating numerous roll calls and long waits for the required number of members to appear. The democrats made the best of the situation, however, and were on hand in goodly numbers and availed themselves of all the parliamentary points.

At first the republican movement was a mystery to many, but finally as the plot was revealed, the humor of the situation became apparent and the best of feeling prevailed.

On the last roll call the republicans swarmed in for the caucus, making a quorum and the house thereupon, thirteen minutes before caucus time, recessed until 11.15 this morning.

RIOT AT CIRCUS

People Fought to See Gladys Vanderbilt

VIENNA, May 6.—The public's interest and unrestrained curiosity to get a look at Countess Szechenyi precipitated a riot at the circus Beketow in Buda Pest Monday night.

The count took his bride to the races Monday afternoon. After dinner they went to the opera, but remained only a short time and then went to the circus, occupying a box.

"The richest woman in the world, the millionaire Vanderbilt, is here!"

The report spread quickly among the spectators in the crowded galleries and in other cheap seats. Driven by a common impulse they swarmed toward the box where the count and countess sat, and pushing, elbowing and fighting, invaded the aisles between the high-priced seats. The occupant of one of these and a man from the gallery clashed and became so infuriated that they drew knives and stabbed each other and were carried to the hospital.

The wild scene greatly agitated and horrified the countess. Her husband was disgusted and infuriated by his countrymen's behavior. He told the countess that he never knew Hungarians to behave so before, and he declared that, if the annoyance to which his wife has been subjected does not cease, they will never set foot in Buda Pest again.

PASTOR ACCEPTS

Henniker Preacher for Chelmsford

HENNIKER, N. H., May 6.—The Rev. T. C. H. Bouton, pastor of the Congregational church, has accepted a call to Chelmsford, Mass., and will go there June 1.

FELL DOWN STAIRS

WOMAN SUSTAINED FRACTURE OF THE LEG.

Cordelia Mervin fell down stairs at 75 East Merrimack street last night about 11 o'clock and suffered a broken leg. The ambulance was summoned and she was removed to St. John's hospital.

CITY OFFICIALS

ELECTED BY CITY GOVERNMENT OF CAMBRIDGE.

CAMBRIDGE, May 6.—The city government of Cambridge last night elected the following city officials:

City treasurer, W. W. Dallinger, re-elected.

City clerk, Edward J. Brandon, for fourteenth consecutive year.

Assistant city clerk, Albert S. Pear, for fourteenth consecutive year.

City messenger, John McDuffee.

Clerk of committees, Frank T. Evans.

Y. M. C. A. GYM.

Banquet Held by Physical Dept. on Hurd St.

ADDRESSES BY PROMINENT MEN

President Bowen Acted as Toastmaster

MANY WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

To the Young Athletes From Experienced Men

The third annual banquet of the physical department of the Young Men's Christian Association was held last night at the association quarters in Hurd street. There was a large attendance, an excellent menu was discussed and good speaking followed.

The hall was very attractively as well as artistically decorated with red and white bunting and the flags of

MR. FRANK A. BOWEN, President Y. M. C. A.

various colleges. The tables were formed in the shape of a triangle which is emblematic of the Y. M. C. A.

Dinner was served at 6.30 o'clock under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the association and for an hour those present were well occupied with the menu. Music during the dinner was furnished by the Colonial orchestra, which also played at intervals during the speaking.

After dinner had been served the post prandial exercises were commenced. Dr. George I. Van Deursen was to have acted as toastmaster, but owing to his absence F. A. Bowen, president of the association, served in that capacity.

T. H. Russell, 2d, of Boston, connected with the Boston association, was one of the principal speakers of the evening. Mr. Russell responded to the toast "Clean Sport." Mr. Russell made a strong plea for honesty in athletics, and advocated registration by amateur athletes as the best means of attaining that end. He said in part:

"The association stands for the best development of soul, mind, and body. It stands for clean sport. Amateur sport usually means clean sport, while professionalism may mean otherwise. The true distinction between the amateur and the professional is just this: The amateur goes into the game because of the love for it, for the glory of victory or the honor of fair defeat. The professional goes into it for what he can get out of it. For that very reason, professional sports may sometimes be unfair."

Here Mr. Russell pointed out that there were frequent cases of "thrown" wrestling bouts. He described the late Gotch-Hackenschmidt bout, and declared it to be a disgrace to American sportsmen. He likened the defeated foreigner to a baited bull in an arena of old Spain.

Mr. Russell then described the advantages to be gained by becoming a registered member of some national organization, the Amateur League of North America, in which Y. M. C. A. teams are enrolled, in particular.

Christopher A. Walker, of the local association, spoke on "Possibilities of Leadership in the Gymnasium." He gave a description of the formation of the work of the leaders' corps and concluded with a glowing tribute to Christopher Scaife, the present physical instructor.

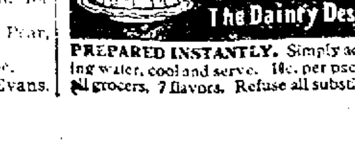
Mr. Scaife was the next speaker. He dwelt particularly upon the efforts of the directors and of Mr. Moore, the secretary, to further the interests of the association and said that the local organization had handled the largest amount of business of any organization of a similar size in the country during the past year.

Other speakers were Harry G. Hill, who talked on "The Professional Man in the Gym"; William Chase, who responded to the toast, "[illegible]" and E. W. Wilder of the Worcester Y. M. C. A. There was also a solo by Robert H. Aulet, who was obliged to respond with an encore to the enthusiasm of the audience. Miss Ethel Waller acted as accompanist.

The dinner was under the direction of the members of the Women's Auxiliary, and it was they who assisted in the serving. The auxiliary committee in general charge was: Mrs. C. E. Meader, chairman; Mrs. W. H. H. Brown, Mrs. C. C. S. Wheeler, Mrs. T. G. Waller, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. Christopher Scaife, Mrs. Colin McDonald, Mrs. G. W. Hands, Mrs. Ada Marton, Mrs. W. H. Folsom, Mrs. O. H. Dodge, Mrs. B. C. Day, Mrs. Charles Flemings, Mrs. Albion Felker, Mrs. W. H. Upham, Mrs. Charles Fiske, Mrs. W. A. Morse, Miss Alice Trewin.

The servers were: Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Mrs. Burton Wiggin, Mrs. Caroline Crawford, Mrs. Harry Stocks, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. Charles Upton.

The waiters were: Miss Ethel Waller, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Mildred Meader, Miss Charlotte Meader, Miss Margaret McDonald, Miss Sadie McDonald, Russell Fox, Lester Flemings, Merrill Kimball, Harry Daggett, Chester Wheeler, Arnold Moore.



CRICKET CLUB

MEETINGS OF THE ZIONS TO BE HELD TONIGHT.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Zion Cricket club will be held at the residence of Albert Whitworth, 31 Sydney street, tonight at 8 o'clock.

It is expected that a large representation of the club members will turn out, as matters of great importance will be discussed, and as the state league season opens on Saturday, May 9, several matters must be settled before that time.

Several committees will be appointed and the election of captains, vice-captains, scorers, delegates to the state league, etc., will be up before the meeting.

The report of schedule, tackle, team, finance and grounds committee will be made, which will be of special interest. The grounds committee has been at work for a number of days, and has completed the work of laying the water pipes to the club house and the crease, which will be of special benefit to the players.

The members are earnestly requested to be on hand to consider this important business, and any other matters that may be brought before them.

ATTY. GENERAL

ASKED THAT STATE GET UNCLAIMED MONEY.

BOSTON, May 6.—Attorney General Dana Malone has applied to the probate court for an order that certain unclaimed deposit, amounting to some $25,000, now in the custody of the Provident Institution for Savings, be turned over to the state treasurer.

The application is under chapter 349 of the statutes of [illegible], which provides that deposits remaining unclaimed in any banking institution for more than thirty years may be laid claim to by the state and turned over to the state treasurer. The application of the attorney general at this time is, however, the first time the law has been called into effect.

If such order is issued by the probate court and the unclaimed deposits are turned over to the state, it is probable that the attorney general's application will be followed by similar applications in other parts of the state and on other banking institutions.

HELD IN $5000

MAN IS CHARGED WITH SETTING HAVERHILL FIRE.

HAVERHILL, May 6.—Charged with setting the fire in the Carboni block Saturday morning, when thirty families had narrow escapes from death, Palo Ferratti was arrested last night and held in $5000 bonds for his appearance before the district court today. Ferratti conducts a pool room in the lower floor of the Carboni block and when the police and firemen entered the place, it is alleged that they found the tables and chairs saturated with oil. An inquest was held yesterday by Fire Marshal Rice as a result of which Ferratti's arrest followed last evening.

FAIR GROUNDS

The Buffalo Bill Wild West show and Barnum & Bailey's circus which are to give performances here will be seen on the land formerly known as the Fair grounds in Gorham street.

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THREE LIVES LOST

Storm of Tornado Velocity Raged Near St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 5.—A thunder storm accompanied by wind of almost tornado velocity swept over this vicinity early today doing much damage and indirectly causing loss of life. A bridge on the Louisville and Nashville R. R. near Belleville, Ill., was washed out and caused the wreck of a freight train. The engineer, conductor and brakeman were caught under the engine and drowned. The train was piled up in a mass in a creek which was swollen into a torrent. The whole area of lowlands east of St. Louis, Illinois, and comprising 35 square miles of territory is under water.

French Village, a town of one thousand inhabitants, was struck by a miniature tornado and many houses were unroofed.

In St. Louis several residences were struck by lightning. No casualties were reported.

THE PLUM BOY

IS ONCE MORE THREATENED BY KIDNAPPERS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Threats to kidnap eight-year-old William T. Plum, Jr., grandson of former Judge Gottfried Krueger, the millionaire brewer of Newark, were received yesterday by Mrs. William T. Plum, the lad's mother, wife of a prominent Newark realty broker. The letter is a crudely written Black Hand missive, and Mrs. Plum is prostrated at her home, No. 600 High street.

The threats follow the sensational letters of last month, which resulted in the arrest, after a sensational fight with the police, of William Freeman, Judge Krueger's negro butler, and Jennie Allen, a negress.

The latest threatening letters demand a heavy sum to prevent the kidnapping of the boy. The police say that in one of the letters is the sentence. "We won't be fooled the way Freeman was. Look out for your boy if you don't pay the money." Judge Krueger admitted last night the receipt by Mrs. Plum of new letters.

Freeman is in the Essex county jail, charged with blackmail and attempted kidnapping. He will be arraigned tomorrow, and the police believe that a band of which he is a member sent the new letters, largely to so intimidate the boy's parents that they will not give damaging testimony against the prisoners.

The boy is closely guarded. He has not been allowed to go out alone since the receipt of the first threatening letters, in early April.

In the first threats Mrs. Plum was terrified by the demand for $5000 on pain of kidnapping her son, blowing up her home and killing both her husband and herself. These letters directed that $5000 be left in the cleft of a tree at High and Court streets, Newark, directly across from the Plum residence and diagonally across from the Krueger home.

At the time of Freeman's arrest, Captain Carroll of the Newark detective bureau, gave it as his opinion that Freeman was merely a tool for more cunning men, who plotted to bleed the Plum family and Judge Krueger.

UNITED STATES

NAMES MEMBERS FOR TRADE AGREEMENT COMMISSION.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—James B. Reynolds, assistant secretary of the treasury, Edward Schaefer of the department of the treasury, and Morris Jacobs of the department of commerce and labor, were today appointed members of a commission on the part of the United States to consider a report on possible amendments of existing trade regulations between France and the United States. This commission was appointed in accordance with the Franco-American reciprocity treaty signed by Sec'y Root and Ambassador Jusserand. The argument provides also for the appointment of a similar committee by France.

THE PRESIDENT

MEETS MEMBERS OF NEW YORK AMERICAN LEAGUE.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Clark Griffith introduced the New York American league baseball team to President Roosevelt today. The president talked for some time with the members of the team observing that his son Quentin was an enthusiastic baseball player, belonging to the same team with Charlie Taft, a son of Secretary Taft. The president said that Quentin kept the averages of all the leading ball players.

PRES. ROOSEVELT

FAVORS THE POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BILL.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—President Roosevelt today expressed to Senator Carter of the senate committee on postoffices and postroads his earnest desire to see a postal savings bank bill become law at this session.

THE POLICE

ARE KEEPING CLOSE WATCH ON PRINCE EULENBERG.

BERLIN, May 5.—Members of the criminal police force have been picketed around the castle at Liebenberg of Prince Philip zu Eulenburg. This is done as a precaution against the prince's attempting to leave the country during the preliminary investigation by the crown prosecutor of the allegation that the prince gave false testimony during the recent Harden trial in Berlin, when charges of a serious nature were brought against several prominent German officials. Liebenburg is about forty miles from Berlin.

That the prosecutor took up the investigation at all is being referred to by the newspapers as a serious matter. Prince zu Eulenburg, who lives in almost feudal style, is ill of neuritis. Physicians delegated to examine him by the government affirm that he is unable to travel, yet a dozen plain clothes men watch the exits of the castle grounds day and night.

Prince zu Eulenburg received a judicial commission during its recent visit to his bedside with the utmost courtesy. He offered the commission the fullest facilities for its investigation and replied to its questions clearly and without hesitation.

POWERS PARDON

Governor Has Not Read All the Papers

IT WILL BE SEVERAL DAYS

Before He Can Announce His Decision

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 5.—Governor Wilson was unable to complete the reading of all the papers of the Caleb Powers pardon petition in time to announce a decision today as had been anticipated yesterday. He says that it may be several days before his decision can be announced, the pressure of other matters causing the delay.

THREE CONVICTIONS.

Four times has Caleb Powers, former secretary of state of this commonwealth, been put on trial for his life and at three of these trials the jury brought in a verdict of conviction. The charge against him was that he had conspired with others to bring about the assassination of Senator William Goebel on Jan. 30, 1900, Goebel then being a contestant for the gubernatorial chair. According to the charge Goebel was shot from a window of Secretary of State Powers' office. At the time the shooting occurred Powers was in Louisville, but it was asserted he had lent his office key to others so that the murderer of the governor could stand at the window when he fired. At the time of the trials and in the magazine articles written by him, Powers declared that he had no knowledge that Goebel was to be shot and denied that he had anything to do with the shooting. Few trials in the history of the country have held wider interest and few have developed more sidelights. Kentucky feud troubles have been more or less connected with the whole case and there have been claims of political difficulties that influenced action at various stages of the noted trial. Three times Powers was convicted and twice sentenced to death but at the fourth trial the jury disagreed and in view of that fact the movement for a possible pardon was given additional impetus.

The petition for pardon that was presented to Governor Wilson was most voluminous, containing not only signatures of thousands of Kentuckians but also the names of people from all parts of the United States and even from points in Africa and Australia.

During his long imprisonment in the custody of both state and federal officials at various stages of the proceedings which included appeals to the supreme court of the United States Powers continued the study of law and announced that he would engage in practice when released, but some months ago he gave out the statement that he would be a candidate for congress in case of a pardon. These statements were made as an expression of his confidence that he would ultimately regain his freedom.

James Howard, a noted feudist of Clay county, was accused in confessions by Henry F. Youtsey of taking part in the actual assassination and the possible connection of Youtsey and Howard with the case has been the occasion for many conflicting statements in the shape of newspaper interviews, affidavits in the various trials, appeals on behalf of different persons who had been in some way implicated in the various trials.

Youtsey, who was stenographer and private secretary to Gov. Taylor, said that Powers gave him the office key and his testimony had been one of the most bitterly assailed points in the case against Powers.

HEAVY DAMAGE

BUSINESS DISTRICT OF WALKERTON DESTROYED.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., May 5.—The business district of Walkerton, 19 miles southeast of South Bend, was burned today. The loss is $100,000, partly covered by insurance.

GOV. GUILD

ENJOYED A RIDE THROUGH BACK BAY FENS.

BOSTON, May 5.—Gov. Guild had his second outing today since his sickness, his carriage taking him through the Back Bay fens for about an hour.

The governor will go to his summer residence at Nahant on Tuesday next if the weather permits and his condition continues to improve.

LOWELL MEN TO ATTEND.

Several Lowell men will attend the installation of officers of the St. Charles T. A. society of Woburn in that city on Thursday evening. District Deputy Donoghue of the society will install the officers, assisted by Deputy Doherty and ex-Pres. Thomas McColgan.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

AN EXPRESS TRAIN IN NO. CHELMSFORD KILLS A PAIR OF HORSES BELONGING TO JOSEPH RYAN.

STRUCK BY EXPRESS

Two Horses Killed at North Chelmsford Crossing

A pair of draught horses owned by Joseph Ryan of North Chelmsford was struck and killed by the down train which arrived in Lowell about 8 o'clock this morning, the driver, Joseph Drepeau, escaping injury by jumping to a place of safety before the train struck.

The accident took place just above the village at a crossing known as Eddy's crossing, a right of way crossing through private land formerly owned by Clarence Sprague, but now the property of Mr. Ryan. Drepeau was doing farm work and the horses were attached to a dump cart.

There are no gates and no flag man at the crossing, the approaching trains giving warning by means of the engine whistle. Two trains pass each other at a point near the crossing every morning and Drepeau attempted to cross the tracks just after the up train had passed along, not thinking of the proximity of the down train, which is an express.

Just as he reached the tracks the down train bore down on him and in an instant he had jumped to safety leaving the animals to their fate. They were thrown quite a distance and were instantly killed. The train stopped, but upon finding that the driver was safe, proceeded on its way.

ANNUAL REPORT

Shows Work Done by Street Dept.

The annual report of the street department went to the board of aldermen last evening. The report is very voluminous and very nicely gotten up. City Clerk Dadman says it is one of the neatest department reports that he has ever seen. It contains no less than 77 typewritten pages, mostly tabulation.

The important items contained in the report, the items that swelled the expense of the department are as follows: Concrete sidewalks repaired, 249 yards, $[illegible]; square yards top-dressed, 11,223 yards, expense $[illegible]; total number of miles of street accepted in Lowell up to Jan. 1, 1908, 154 yards; concrete pavement repaired in 1907, 351 square yards, expense $[illegible]. This work was done in Pawtucket street.

Bitulithic pavement repaired in Central street, 75 yards, cost $75. Granolithic sidewalks in front of the Greek church, $[illegible]. There were [illegible] square yards of bicycle paths repaired in Bridge street at an expense of $[illegible]. Repairs on 122 yards of concrete crossings cost $[illegible] and the laying of [illegible] yards of concrete crossings cost $[illegible].

Repairing 548 yards of asphalt paving, $359.00; 767 yards of asphaltum, $1,343.00; grading, 7,975 feet of streets with gravel, $5,[illegible]; cinders, linear feet, $2,267.00; macadamizing streets, $30,751.95; relaying crossings, $[illegible]; new crossings, $[illegible].

Repairs to bridges, $[illegible]; repairing crossings, $[illegible]; macadam repairs, $[illegible]; relaying sidewalks, $[illegible]; grading sidewalks, $[illegible]; paving gutters, $[illegible]; repairing gutters, $[illegible]; repairing streets, $[illegible]; resetting edgestones, $[illegible]; new edgestones, $[illegible]; repairing streets $[illegible]; cinder sidewalks, $[illegible]; new sidewalks, $[illegible]; [illegible] pavement, [illegible] square yards, $[illegible]; block paving on Hassett concrete foundation in Central street, $[illegible]. Total expenditures $[illegible]. Total sewer construction, $[illegible].

F. W. MILLS

Banker and Broker

Room 33, Hildreth Building

MONEY IS NEEDED

To Make Changes Ordered in Schools

LETTER FROM STATE POLICE

Will be Read to Aldermen Tonight

A communication from Inspector Burfitt of the state police will be read at a meeting of the board of aldermen this evening. There are recommendations or, more properly speaking, demands, contained in the communication that will cause a request for a very substantial appropriation.

The state inspector came to Lowell some time ago with Inspector Smith of the [illegible] buildings department, visited [illegible] schools. After going back to Boston the inspector mailed his communication and told of the changes and repairs that would have to be made in the schools.

The local inspectors after looking over and acquainting themselves with the communication and its demands, decided that it would [illegible] the very least calculation, $[illegible] to do what the state inspector asked and the department will ask for an appropriation for that or a greater [illegible].

The changes, which include exit signs, changing [illegible] installation of fire extinguishers, etc., are all ordered, the state inspector says, in the interest of safety and must be attended to.

REDUCED RATES

FROM LOWELL TO BOSTON ON CONVENTION DAY.

[illegible] state [illegible] that there will be reduced rates for delegates from this city [illegible] state convention to be [illegible] in Boston Thursday. The [illegible] democratic convention to elect [illegible] delegates to the national convention will be held in Association hall at [illegible] May 13 and will be called to order by Cornelius F. Cronin.

IN WESTFORD

MAN GRANTED A LICENSE DOES NOT WANT IT.

While there are a number of Lowell people who applied for liquor licenses and feel greatly put out because they figured among the unlucky ones, the same condition of affairs does not exist in the town of Westford, which went license this year after having been dry for over a score of years.

Three licenses were granted, but only two were issued as the third man did not call for his license. The selectmen afterwards learned that the man in question did not want the license. One of the selectmen came to Lowell today for the purpose of securing an application blank at the office of the local board.

STREET WORK

SUPT. MORSE HAS LOTS OF IT MAPPED OUT.

The steam roller is at work in Sixth street today and street work in that vicinity will be in order for the next few weeks. Asked today when he intended to get the street work going in good shape, Supt. Charles Morse of the street department said all that was holding him back was money. He said he had a lot of work mapped out and he is simply waiting an assignment of the long green.

Rock street is to be paved with the stones that were taken from Central street and Mr. Morse says it will be one of the best streets in the city.

The meetings scheduled for this week at city hall: Regular meeting of the aldermen and meeting of the water board tonight, committee on accounts 2 o'clock tomorrow, and committee on fire department, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DEATHS

PLUNKETT—Mrs. [illegible] Plunkett, aged 41 years, died [illegible] at her home 5 Newhall street. She leaves a husband, Thomas F., [illegible] children, a brother, Mrs. Mary Kelly and one sister, Mrs. [illegible].

FOUR KILLED

BY EXPLOSION AT THE DRAPER COLLIERY.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 5.—Four men are reported [illegible] at the Draper colliery of the Philadelphia Coal & Iron Co. by an explosion.

THE PAPER TRUST

John Norris Points Out One Way it Made Money

WASHINGTON, May 5.—When the house committee investigating the wood pulp and print paper question met today a telegram was read from Herman Ridder, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association addressed to John Sharp Williams, the democratic leader in the house stating that Judge Lacombe had discharged the Manila and Fibre paper company which had been brought before a grand jury and ordered to produce its books. The company claimed that its books had been given to an official who had taken them to Europe. The telegram added:

"The the paper company's new claim that they have done everything in their power to remove the papers. On this showing they were allowed to go free. What a farce. Our only hope is the Stevens' bill."

Mr. Stafford of Wisconsin asked John Norris of New York, who took the witness stand, if he regarded that telegram as meaning that the inability to prosecute the "manila and fibre pulp trust" was a failure of justice.

"Not a failure, but a serious embarrassment," replied Mr. Norris.

There was a practice many years ago, said Mr. Norris prior to the creation of the International Paper Co., of paying for paper on the production basis, that is, the newspaper instead of buying paper by the pound bought upon the basis of so many pounds making so many thousand eight page sheets. If the manufacturer increased the weight of the paper unduly he did so at his own cost. On the other hand if he decreased the weight of the paper the benefit would go to the newspaper. Following the creation of the International company, he said, all of the paper manufacturers agreed upon a standard basis of weight for every newspaper, the standard being 32 pounds for five hundred sheets, measuring 24x36.

"There is a natural tendency in the mill," continued Mr. Norris, "to run a little heavy if not watched carefully and the increase in the weight over the standard increases the output of the mill to that extent and measurably reflects to the advantage of the mill superintendent.

"With some of the large contracts in recent years there has been a tendency to secretly break over that general understanding among paper makers and charge upon a light weight of paper—that is, to furnish a lighter weight of paper than the standard and also to charge upon the production basis rather than upon the gross weight basis."

"What company to your knowledge departed from the standard weight?" asked Mr. Stafford.

"The Great Northern Paper Co.," replied Mr. Norris. "There are probably others but I cannot recollect them now."

LOCKING HORNS

OHIO DEMOCRATS HAVE NOT AGREED ON PLATFORM.

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—The democratic leaders today are locking horns over the platform. There is little or no opposition to the plank endorsing William J. Bryan for president but Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland is making things lively by demanding that the initiative and referendum plank go into the platform. Johnson is also fighting for a franchise tax plank. It was announced today that there will be nothing said in the platform on the temperance issue. The committee does not get together to consider the platform until four o'clock this afternoon.

TROLLEY EXPRESS

CHELMSFORD CENTRE HAS NOT GRANTED THE FRANCHISE.

Chelmsford Centre is one of the very few towns holding out against the trolley express franchise.

Under a recent act of the legislature a trolley express can run through all towns to carry milk. The trolley cannot afford to run for this purpose alone.

FRANK KENNEDY

RECEIVED CERTIFICATE FROM THE HUMANE SOCIETY.

Frank Kennedy, of 102 Congress street, has received from the State Humane society a handsome certificate which is suitably framed in recognition of his bravery in saving two boys from drowning.

It will be recalled that on January 19, 1908, two boys broke through the ice in Hale's brook and young Kennedy went to their assistance at the risk of his own life, and pulled the boys out of the brook into a place of safety.

FINE DWELLING

TO BE ERECTED IN PRINCETON STREET.

The applications for permits to build registered at the office of the superintendent of lands and buildings since the last were published include one for a $2500 dwelling in Princeton street.

The American Hide & Leather company asks for a permit to install an elevator in its plant in Perry street. Estimated cost $650.

MISS FRENCH

BECOMES THE BRIDE OF SAMUEL WAGGSTAFF.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 5.—The wedding of Miss Pauline French and Samuel Waggstaff took place this afternoon at the St. John's Episcopal church, Rev. Charles A. Beattie officiating.

Miss French is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Tuck French and a sister of Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt. There was a large gathering of the social colony of the city present at both the ceremony and the reception which occurred immediately after at Mrs. Vanderbilt's residence, Harbor View.

FELL FROM CAR

TULSA, Okla., May 5.—W. T. Brady, [illegible] state committeeman from Oklahoma, fell from a swiftly moving street car here last night and suffered serious although not necessarily fatal injuries.

TWO INJURED

B. & O. TRAIN RAN INTO A WASH-OUT.

SEYMOUR, Ind., May 5.—The east-bound train on the Baltimore & Ohio [illegible] ran into a washout near Sparksville [illegible] today, the engine, mail, express and baggage cars going down an embankment. The engineer and fireman were badly hurt. None of the passengers was injured.

TOBACCO BEDS BLOWN UP.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 5.—Several tobacco beds on the farm of Joseph Ware in Boyle county were blown up by "night riders" last night.

SAVAGE DOG

ATTACKED A POLICE OFFICER IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Policeman John W. Whalen, of the Macdougal street station was attacked by a huge dog in Hancock street yesterday afternoon and bitten so badly that he had to be cared for by surgeons.

The dog was asleep in front of No. 4 Hancock street. The policeman, attempting to step over the brute, roused it, and it sprang at him. Whalen put out his left hand to ward it off, and the dog sank its fangs into his wrist, tearing the flesh so badly that he almost fainted. Before he recovered from his surprise the animal jumped for his throat, threw him to the ground and snapped savagely at his face.

Two Italians ran up, seized the dog by the hind legs and threw it over their shoulders. Then the animal ran. Whalen had reached for his gun, but a crowd of children was standing around and he was afraid to shoot for fear of hurting somebody.

Dr. O'Connell, of St. Vincent's hospital, was called, and Whalen was taken to that institution. It was found that his face and wrist were so badly injured that twenty stitches in all had to be taken.

The surgeons fear that the dog may have had hydrophobia and extreme caution was used in dressing the man's injuries. The patient was turned over to Dr. Johnson, police surgeon, on leave of absence for sickness.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

BOSTON, May 5.—The strength of yesterday's copper market continued here today although trading for the first two hours was only moderate. Copper Range was again the feature, advancing to 79¾.

2000 ARE IDLE.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., May 5.—Two thousand employes of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad shops here were laid off today for an indefinite period. The reason assigned by the company is financial depression.

U. S. SENATE

HESITATES TO ENCOURAGE ARMED INTERVENTION WITH VENEZUELA.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The cogent reasoning in the brief presented to the senate committee on foreign relations by the Honorable John W. Foster, former secretary of state, in the matter of the Venezuelan claims, has caused a revulsion of feeling among the senators. The probability that the president will be empowered to menace that republic with force unless the Asphalt trust's demands are complied with, has dwindled almost out of sight. It is admitted now that only the possibility that such action by the president at some critical stage of the campaign might save the election will influence violently partisan senators to consent. It is known that this contingency has been considered in secret conferences, and it will have weight when the matter comes up for final action.

The facts as to the Asphalt trust's connection with the Matos rebellion in Venezuela, cited by Mr. Foster from the trust officials' sworn testimony, and stated so strongly in the brief before the senate committee, have served as a cold douche to the nerves of those who cry that "Castro must be spanked!"

Mr. Foster lays down as a fundamental principle in international jurisprudence that an individual or corporation that takes up arms against a nation with whom we are at peace cannot appeal to his own government for relief from the consequences of his own acts. This has been decided in every case of the kind that has ever come up in the diplomatic history of the United States. Mr. Foster goes to the record, and quotes chapter and page in every instance. No man in the country is better qualified to judge in such matters than the former secretary, whose experience in the state department is supplemented by long and masterly service as minister and ambassador at various courts.

That this trust, never even tentatively classed as a "good" trust, fomented, financed and aided in the conduct of an armed rebellion against the government of Venezuela is proven beyond doubt. Its assertion that this was all done under duress is shattered by an analysis of the sworn statements of its own officials. Senators are becoming wary of authorizing the use of our army and navy to enable the trust to recoup its losses due to the failure of its conspiracy.

KILLED HERSELF

Young Woman First Probably Fatally Injured Hotel Clerk

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 6.—Miss Christina Bau, a young woman supposed to have been insane, shot and probably fatally injured Louis Neveaux, a hotel clerk, on the principal street of the city late last night and then killed herself. Neveaux told the officials at Heaton hospital, where he was removed that he had never seen Miss Bau before and that he could not account for the tragedy.

Miss Bau was 25 years of age and formerly was an inmate of the Vermont state insane asylum at Waterbury. Since her release six months ago her relatives in Barre, where her family resides, have been watching her closely, but until last night she gave no intimation that she was about to become violent. Two years ago the young woman became unbalanced and shot two men in Woodsville, N. H. She was acquitted by a jury in the Grafton county court, but as her sanity was in doubt she was turned over to the Vermonth authorities, she being a citizen of this state, and was sent to the asylum at Waterbury.

Last fall her condition was so improved that it was decided to release her and she was sent to her father's home in Barre. Recently she had been visiting her brother-in-law, Golden Douglas of this city. Apparently Mr. Douglas was suspicious that Miss Bau was threatened with an attack of her previous trouble, for about ten o'clock last night when she disappeared he went to the police station and made inquiries of the officers. Before a search could be made news was received that a young woman had shot a man on State street. Neveaux was on his way home at the time. When passing along State street in front of the National Life Insurance company's building, at the corner of Western avenue, and within ten rods of the Central Vermont Railroad station, he was startled by a pistol shot, and a bullet which struck him in the lower part of the body. He afterward said that he saw a young woman approaching but he paid little attention to her. Just as she passed him she turned and fired a shot at close range, Neveaux falling to the sidewalk, seriously injured. Two more shots were fired, apparently at random and then the woman turned her revolver upon herself, the fourth shot passing through her brain and causing instant death.

When the police reached the scene the body of Miss Bau and the semi-conscious form of Neveaux lay within a few feet of each other. Neveaux was rushed to the hospital in an ambulance and after several hours' examination and treatment by the surgeons they announced that his condition was serious. Neveaux regained consciousness and told how the shooting occurred. He said that he was not acquainted with Miss Bau and so far as he knew she did not know him. He said that he and the young woman had not been in each others company during the evening and that he had not offered to molest her in any way when he passed her on the street. Neveaux has been employed in hotels for several years and until a short time ago was clerk at the Pavilion house. The police are investigating his story of the tragedy, but up to a late hour they had found no occasion to doubt his version of it in view of the young woman's attempt to kill two men in Woodsville.

In the absence of the medical examiner, Burton E. Bailey, the Montpelier member of the Washington county grand jury, took charge of the investigation in behalf of the state authorities, and it is understood that the officials at the state insane asylum will be requested to furnish a record of Miss Bau's sojourn in that institution.

Miss Bau was the daughter of C. Bau, a photographer of Barre. She was regarded as a young woman of handsome feature and was always well dressed.

SHOT TWO MEN

MISS BAU'S CAREER IN WOODSVILLE, N. H.

WOODSVILLE, N. H., May 6.—Two years ago Miss Bau created a sensation in this town by shooting two young men early one summer evening and then attempting to shoot an officer who arrested her.

The young woman came into town early in the evening from Wells River, Vt., across the Connecticut river, having during the day traveled from Montpelier by way of St. Johnsbury. So far as known she had no relatives or close friends in the town and was passing the evening on the street.

Passing the Young Men's Christian association building, she took offence at remarks made by a group of men standing on the sidewalk and coming back opened fire with a revolver at the group. Her shots took effect and two young men were wounded. A young man named Gonyer, a high school pupil at the time, was shot in a leg and a brakeman on the Montpelier and Wells River road was also wounded.

An officer on the street stared to arrest the woman and she turned the revolver upon him, but was disarmed before she could fire.

The woman was arraigned and after a hearing it was found that she was not mentally responsible. As her home was in Vermont, it was declared the Vermont authorities would have to take care of her and she was sent to the asylum at Waterbury.

The woman was of a most attractive appearance and seemed rational in most ways.

FOUND DEAD

MAN'S DEATH DUE TO HEART FAILURE.

BURLINGTON, Vt., May 6.—The body of Homer E. Powell, aged 57, a lawyer and prominent citizen of Milton, was found dead in a room at the Sherwood house late last night. The room was filled with gas which was flowing from an open gas jet. It is believed that death was caused by heart failure, an attacf owh chich apparently came on as Mr. Powell was about to light the gas.

Mr. Powell leaves a wife, six sons and one daughter.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

We are privileged again to hear Miss Millar on Wednesday noon. She will lead the 20-minute service in the recreation room at 12.25.

At 7.45 p. m. Miss Millar is to speak once more in Kitson hall. She has told us that she has the story of an Australian friend, a Jewess, to relate. We want you to hear it. Miss Millar holds her audiences with complete power. It is a pleasure to be so held. Her object is directly evangelistic. For that most of all we are glad. You will be, too. Come and hear her.

MOUNTAIN ROCK

NONE OF THE BIG TREES ARE BEING CUT DOWN.

Report has it that Mountain Rock grove is being hewed down by lumbermen. Such is not the case. Nothing but the underbrush is being cleared away in order to make it more passable to visitors.

Good time, Mathew hall, tonight. Calumet orchestra.

CAPTAIN GEORGE MELVILLE BOYNTON, THE "DARKEST AFRICA EXPLORER," SENT TO JAIL AS A HOTEL BEAT.

SUMMER IN JAIL

Explorer Boynton Convicted as Hotel Beat

NEW YORK, May 6.—Instead of exploring the wilds of "darkest America," Captain George Melville Boynton, the debonnair "explorer" and former Boston and Brookline society idol, will break stones in a New York penitentiary for the next three months.

The dashing captain, who took the ultra fashionable set by storm, was yesterday sentenced to three months' imprisonment as a hotel beat. As a result he will, it is understood, spend the summer exploring Blackwell's Island.

Boynton recently was tried and found guilty of beating the Hotel Hermitage, New York city, out of a board bill of $30. When his case came up for sentence yesterday, his counsel, General Kneeland, pleaded for a light sentence.

General Kneeland said: "I am sure Captain Boynton never had any criminal intent. He simply does not know the difference between meum and tuum. He is a very able explorer and mining man. I think that a sentence of 30 days will be enough to warn him."

Probation Officer Groveur said that he had found that Boynton was married and that his wife was about to return to England, as she thought her husband had been squandering his money on other women. The probation officer declared that Boynton was a member of the Chemists' and Explorers' clubs.

Assistant District Attorney Kindleberger said that Boynton's two valets were unable to get their trunks from the Hermitage because they had sent them there under Boynton's name.

At the conclusion of these remarks Presiding Justice Zeller imposed the sentence, and Boynton was led away.

GARDEN PARTY

Musical Hit by Y. M. C. I. Actors

GIVEN FOR THE DAY NURSERY

Good Attendance of Y. M. C. I. and Friends

An extremely pretty musical melange entitled "The Garden Party" was given by the Y. M. C. I. in Associate hall, last evening for the benefit of the Day Nursery.

The play was in one act and of course was replete with fun and music. The leading lady of the occasion was Miss Alice Bagley, who is certainly Lowell's vaudeville queen. She appeared in the fluffy-ruffles part of "Miss Tottie Two-a-Day," a vaudeville star. Her song, "Smarty," was encored again and again. The entire program was a catchy affair, and the choruses were given with genuine vim. John J. Quinn managed the stage, and did it well, and the comedy furnished by Messrs. George Lynch and John J. Payne had many local hits that were warmly applauded. James McNulty's song, "There Never Was a Girl Like You" led off the "garden party," and this was followed by "When You Steal a Kiss or Two," by Miss Elizabeth McAleer. John H. McCaffrey gave "When They're Bringing in the Corn;" Edward F. Shea sang in good voice "Heart of My Heart," and Frank McCartin caught the audience with "Somebody Lied," a remarkably funny song. The tinkers' chorus from "Robin Hood" was one of the best things of the evening, it being given in costume by Messrs. Andrew Doyle, T. Duffy, W. Marren, R. Whalen, Anthony Doyle and Frank McCartin. "Springtime" was sung by George Lynch, and Miss Mae Whitely gave a fetching number. The closing chorus, "If It's Good Enough for Washington, It's Good Enough For You," was a rattler. It was noticed that few were present except the regular clientele of the Y. M. C. I., those who know what a good performance the society can give.

Dancing began at 10 o'clock, to music by the Calumet orchestra, and continued until midnight.

GRANITEVILLE

The county commissioners and engineers will meet at the depot in Graniteville on Friday at 10.30 a. m. to discuss the improvement of the village streets.

LIBERALS FEAR

Churchill May Lose His Seat

THE LIBERAL LEAD OF 2865

Was Cut to 8 by Tariff Reformer

LONDON, May 6.—There seems no longer room for doubt that the country is being rapidly converted to Joseph Chamberlain's tariff reform policy. The campaign at Wolverhampton was fought almost entirely on this issue. This is admitted by the liberal newspapers, which do not attempt to disguise the severity of the blow the government has sutsained.

The declining popularity of the present government was again revealed yesterday by the result of the bye-election in Wolverhampton to replace Sir Henry Fowler, who, as Viscount Wolverhampton, took his seat in the house of lords. The liberals retained the seat in the commons, but by a bare majority of 8, against a majority of 2855 in 1906, the result of today's election being as follows: G. R. Thorne, liberal, 1514; L. S. Amery, unionist, 4506.

Mr. Amery, who so nearly captured the seat for the protectionists, is one of the ablest and most advanced advocates of tariff reform. He is a strong imperialist, with a brilliant reputation as a student of economics and military questions.

Premier Asquith is to make his budget statement on Thursday, and if this should impose any further unpopular taxation the growth of opinion against the government and in favor of tariff reform may be come still more rapid.

The unionist press attributes the remarkable revulsion of public opinion to the bad reaction in trade following a few years of booming commerce which rendered Mr. Chamberlain's personal campaign nugatory.

The Wolverhampton result makes it gravely doubtful whether Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, will secure his seat at Dundee, where he is contesting the vacancy caused by the elevation to the peerage of Edmund Robertson.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of Quarter of Century Club Held Last Evening

The annual meeting of the Quarter-of-a-Century club of the J. C. Ayer Co. was held at the club room last evening, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, David Dewar; vice president, Solon S. Whithed; secretary, J. A. Bailey; treasurer, J. A. Garmon.

The membership of the club and the number of years which have elapsed since each entered the employ of the J. C. Ayer Co., is given here:

DAVID DEWAR,
President Quarter Century Club.

Thomas Wood, 47 years; Solon S. Whithed, 47; John McSorley, 45; Hugh Owens, 45; C. Oliver Barnes, 42; J. Q. A. Ferguson, 42; Mary Hanscom, 38; C. F. Calnan, 38; David Dewar, 38; J. A. Garmon, 38; Sophia Bourbeau, 38; H. H. Davis, 37; Annie Jackson, 36; Chas. Anderson, 35; Nellie Sullivan, 32; Stephen N. Barker, 30; J. A. Bailey, 28; Annie Murphy, 29; Harry Bellamy, 28; Joseph Desso, 27; Nellie Burnham, 27; William O. Howitt, 27; Albert E. Lombard, 27; Wm. E. Sawyer, 26; Frank Livermore, 25.

Following the usual custom of the club in celebrating the anniversary of the birth of Dr. J. C. Ayer, the members will enjoy an outing in Boston and vicinity next Saturday, May 9th.

MILK STANDARD

Battle to Be Fought in Senate Saturday

CHAMPIONS MARSHALLING FORCES

Rep. Coffin Discusses the Situation

BOSTON, May 6.—The state board of health yesterday asked the senate till Thursday to consider the questions submitted to it on the milk standard.

As a result, the matter, which was on the calendar for action yesterday, has been postponed for another week.

Senator Cowee, the generalissimo of the army for a reduced standard, and his lieutenants, Representatives Crane, Coffin and Todd, are already preparing for the battle. They said yesterday that, while the opposition in the senate was becoming active, the real fight would be in the house of representatives.

Representative Coffin, who is opposed to any standard at all, will lead the forces in the lower chamber. He said he would devote all the attention possible to the skimmed milk plan.

"It is impossible to tell," he said, "how much milk is skimmed before it is sold. The testimony of most farmers before the committee that nearly all that goes through the hands of contractors is by them run through separators, after which cream is given back to bring the milk up to the standard required by law. What is needed more than any set butter fat standard is a law that will make it possible to prevent this skimming, but at present I am in doubt as to the way to get it, except by keeping inspectors at the milk plants as they are kept at the slaughter houses.

"It is my personal belief that the consumer would get much better milk if he got it just as it came from the cow. Milk that comes from a healthy cow is good milk, and I believe we should direct our efforts to devising a method of having it reach the consumer without tampering."

Representative Todd is also a believer in the pure-milk-under-a-guarantee theory, although he declares that he is afraid to remove the standard. Representative Crane also believes in milk untampered with.

Senator Cowee, on the other hand, is having his work cut out for him in the senate, and yesterday fought hard for his amendments to the bill authorizing the state board of health and the dairy bureau, sitting jointly, to make regulations relative to the sale of milk.

There were two of them, the first providing that the act shall apply to milk "produced for sale" in this state, while the other provided that "no milk shall be offered for sale in this commonwealth unless the local board of health certify that it is produced under conditions approved by the state board of health and dairy bureau."

Both amendments were killed and the bill passed to engrossment as originally offered by Senator Treadway.

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STATE SENATE

Killed the Anti-Injunction Bill

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Three Senators Voted Against Their Report

BOSTON, May 6—With every senator on record, except President Chapple, the anti-injunction bill, which had triumphantly passed the house after a favorable report from the recess committee on labor, was defeated yesterday afternoon by a vote of 15 to 22.

Its defeat was marked by an attack by Senator Vahey upon three senators who shifted on the bill. It was charged that the bill was killed to save Acting Governor Draper, who is to be the republican nominee this fall, from embarrassment.

The three senators, as members of the recess committee on labor, had voted in favor of a bill precisely like that which they voted against on roll call.

The battle put up in the senate chamber by the opponents of the bill, and the shifting of votes, recalled the famous session of three years ago, when the overtime bill, now a law, was defeated.

The methods adopted to defeat that bill resulted in the retirement from political life of the men concerned in them, and the enactment of the bill the following year almost with opposition.

The three men who changed their votes yesterday are: Senator Faxon of Stoughton, Senator Potter of Worcester and Senator Fisk of Boston. The three men signed a report supplementary to the report of the committee, in which they recommended the amendment of the bill, as the senate amended it before the adverse vote was taken.

MAY SELL HALL

L'Union St. Joseph Considering Change

L'Union St. Joseph is considering the advisability of selling its building, St. Joseph's hall, in Dutton street. A committee composed of Isidore Turcotte, Joseph Provost, Azarie Choquet, Pascal Harnois and Evariste Bertrand has been appointed to consider the matter and report on the advantages of such a course.

At the time of the building of St. Joseph's hall, the union, which with the exception of its old neighbor, the Societe St. Jean Baptiste, claims seniority over all other French-American societies, was in a highly prosperous condition, with about 550 members belonging. The ranks have now considerably diminished, and it is generally understood that the sale of the hall is deemed advisable for financial reasons.

PELHAM

Mr. Charles W. Sherburne, formerly of the town of Pelham, but now of Boston, has presented the town a beautiful oil painting. The title of the picture is "Fete Day—Bay of Naples," and is by N. Briganti. It has been hung in a prominent place in the public library.

In addition to the above gift Charles W. Hobbs reports that he has received from Mr. Sherburne a check for $100 which is to be used to purchase new books for the library.

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CONG. AMES' BILL

HON. BUTLER AMES, M. C.

Heard by Railway Committee of the Legislature

Congressman Ames' measure to permit electric railroad companies to operate and maintain elevated and subway structures longitudinally in a public way or place of a city or town, was discussed before the committee on street railways of the legislature at the state house in Boston yesterday.

Before Congressman Ames spoke Mr. John H. Bickford was allowed to explain some amendments to the bill, which he offered. One amendment related to the damage clause, bringing the provisions of the bill directly under chapter 448 of the acts of 1907. Another amendment provided that locations through parkways and boulevards controlled by the commonwealth should not be granted without special legislation, and gave the approval of such locations to the railroad commissioners.

Another was to so amend the bill that the railroad commissioners may locate such structures or subways where they do not violate existing laws, as in case of commons or parks in cities, cemeteries and the like reservations.

He pointed out that his amendments especially excepted the city of Boston and gave to cities and towns the right to acquire by purchase the subways that the electric roads might build within five years after their construction.

Congressman Ames, then addressed the committee and said that the Public Franchise league having withdrawn its objection to his measure, the only opposition to it now comes from Mr. Bentley W. Warren. Continuing the congressman said:

"I don't believe that it is the policy of the commonwealth that the Boston Elevated Railway company shall build the only elevated structures in the city of Boston. This bill is to enable other lines to have the opportunity of getting into this city. We have spent many thousands of dollars; we own our right of way into the city of Lowell for nearly two miles, and there is only a question of a subway. We ought to have a place to get into the city of Boston. It would be manifestly absurd for us to transport our passengers over a high-speed railway only to Arlington Heights and then put them into Boston over the Boston Elevated surface lines. That would not be rapid transit. We from the north, east, west and south, have got to get into this city and we ask the opportunity to go over private lands."

"Our petition to the railroad commissioners was turned down most improperly, and rather absurdly, if you analyze their reasons," continued Mr. Ames. "The excuse they gave for refusing us a certificate of exigency for the Boston & Lowell interurban, although it had passed the house last year unanimously and was only turned down in the senate, was that because the legislature had refused to pass our bill, therefore the interurban act should be made inoperative. Now, I am sure that the commonwealth doesn't propose that the Boston Elevated or any other railway company should be the only one to enter into the interurban plan. It is a short-sighted policy in every way. I would like to ask any member of this committee or of the legislature what specific objection there is to such a general bill as this."

A. G. Walsh, president of the Lowell board of trade, said that that body favored the measure as did the people of Lowell and the surrounding towns.

Rep. O'Donnell, who is a member of the committee, strongly favored the bill. He said that the people of Lowell want faster time between Lowell and Boston and they want a reduction in freight and express rates.

Bentley W. Warren, of the Boston & Northern, said he was agreed that so far as the locating of electric roads irrespective of local authorities was concerned by the railroad commissioners, that was what should be done, but he did think that this committee and the legislature ought to consider very carefully whether there is any necessity for so sweeping an application of the law as is proposed by this legislation. He said the bill did not provide for the creation of a damage fund by deposit with the state treasurer, as is now the almost universal law with regard to other public-service corporations. This bill said nothing about damages by subways.

Attorney William H. Coolidge, representing the Boston & Maine, said if there were any damages the companies ought to pay for them; if there were no damages the abutters won't get them. He had two objections to be measured principally. The first was, that it is the duty of this committee, representing the public interest, to see to it that the public interest, and not corporations, determine whether there shall be an elevated railway or a subway, and therefore this bill is defective, because it leaves it to the corporations to determine. His second point was, that if anybody has been damaged, there isn't any earthly reason why the corporation should get away with the goods without paying for them.

THE G.A.R. LADIES

Newton Circle Will Decorate Graves

Jane B. Newton circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., was held last night in Memorial hall, there being a large attendance. Sister Maude N. Rundlett was appointed corresponding secretary for the circle. The circle has accepted an invitation to attend services Memorial Sunday at the First Baptist church. This year the circle will decorate the graves of several veterans and sisters. They voted to send bouquets to several veterans who, through disability would not be able to attend the services Memorial day. They will hold their next social at Sister Drew's, 119 Warwick street, May 14.

MOUNTED TROOPS

Ordered Out to Fight "Nightriders"

COLUMBUS, O., May 6—Troop B, the mounted troop from Columbus of the Ohio national guard left today on a special train over the Norfolk and Western road for Portsmouth where they will be transferred to Ripley and will then go to the tobacco district in Brown county where the tobacco farmers are terrorized by the "nightriders" from Kentucky. The troop will patrol the river from Aberdeen to Higginsport.

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BIG WHIST PARTY

Held in St. Joseph's College Hall

A well attended whist party was held in St. Joseph's college hall last night under the auspices of L'Association de Notre Dame de Bonsecours, for the benefit of the new organ at St. Jean Baptiste church. Maxime Lepine was general director and he was assisted by the following judges:

Thomas Berube, Jesse Alexander, Wm. Brautigan, Epiphane Labrie, Auguste Jodoin, Joseph A. N. Chretien. After the whist there was a very pleasing concert, consisting of the following numbers:

Piano duet, overture from "Tancred," Misses Alma and Ernestine Alexander; song, "Le Petit Soldat," Dr. Nolet; piano solo, Miss Beatrice Delaronde; piano solo, "Berceuse," Miss Alma Alexander; comic song, George Labranche; piano duet, Misses Blanche Jodoin and Regina Caron; comic song, Elzear J. Larochelle; violin duet, David Cornellier and Ernest Belanger, with piano accompaniment by Alberic Ducharme. Miss Ernestine Alexander was the accompanist of the evening.

The prize winners were E. Gagnon, A. Allard, S. Carrier, Jesse Alexander, A. Cornellier, James Thurber, Abraham Masson, Clara Roussel, Bertha Lussier, Lumina Lussier, Agnes Levasseur, A. Champagne, E. Bordeaux, Eucharlste Bellefeuille, W. Forget, Elise Lessard, E. Labrie, Alma Alexander, Edmond Prudholmme, Eva Labrie, Anna Champagne, Arthur Condon, Elodie Gagnon, Jules Duchesne, George Labranche, Mrs. Labranche, Henri Sigman, Stephanie Cinq-Mars, Agnes Lemay, Arthur Laporte, Mrs. Ryan, Joseph Jacques, Mrs. Joseph Bedard, Mrs. Pierre Gagnon, Lumina Savard, T. Berube, Maxime Nadeau, Emilia Boisvert, A. Dubois, Lucie Dubois, P. Harnois, Flore Bissonnette, Annie Lemay, L. E. Laliberte, Joseph Bellefeuille, Alice Lemay, Mrs. Geoffroy, Arthur Geoffroy, A. Lasante, Henri Vincent, Eva Dumont, Alma Vigeault, Mary Perreault, Alexandrine East, D. Grenier, E. Gagne, Antoine Gamache, Emma Potvin.

The organization committee was composed of Mrs. Marie Helene Jacques, president; Mrs. Louise Legare, treasurer; Miss M. L. Gagnon, secretary; Mrs. Charles H. Boisvert, Mrs. Adele Berube, Mrs. Albert Bergeron, Mrs. Pascal Harnois, Mrs. Joseph Rivard, Miss Minnie Russell, Miss Marie Trudel, Miss Elodie Gagnon, Miss Rosanna Gagnon, Miss Philomene Deiners, Mrs. Eugene Savard, Miss Albina Alexander, Miss Sophie Bourbeau.

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BILLERICA NOTES

Officers for Fire Companies Chosen

The engineers of the fire department met last night and appointed the captains and lieutenants for the two Billerica fire companies. The following were named:

Steamer Company No. 1, Charles J. Nugent, captain; Edward R. Costello, lieutenant; hose company, No. 2, Earnest Bartlett, captain, Walter Fuller lieutenant.

Each company held a meeting tonight to choose the other officers called for in the rules of the department. Hose company 2 elected Chester Wright, clerk and treasurer; Edward A. Barker, steward. The standing committee named is comprised of the following members: George Dole, Chas. Wright and Chester Page. Charles Morris, who has been connected with the company for nearly 14 years and who has given excellent service during that time, tendered his resignation, owing to ill health.

Steamer Company No. 1 will fill its elective offices next Friday evening, last night's meeting being adjourned until that time. Copies of the new constitution and by-laws recently adopted by the board of engineers were passed out to the firemen of both companies.

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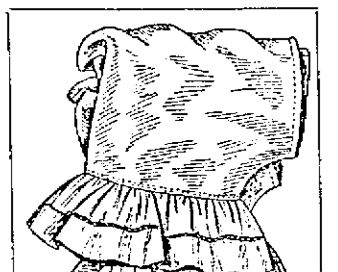

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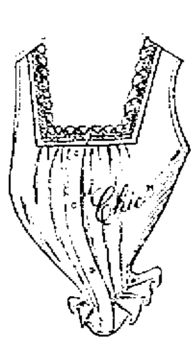
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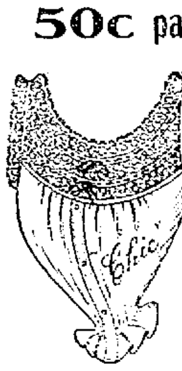
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BAND MUSIC ON SUNDAY

WITH ALL DUE RESPECT TO SUPT. MOFFATT AND HIS AUTHORITY WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT HE WENT TOO FAR IN UNDERTAKING TO PREVENT A BAND TURNING OUT WITH A LOCAL CELEBRATION ON SUNDAY, MAY 31.

ONE OF THE REASONS GIVEN FOR SUCH ACTION, WE UNDERSTAND, IS THAT THERE IS NO LAW AUTHORIZING THE APPEARANCE OF BANDS AT PUBLIC PARADES OR CELEBRATIONS ON SUNDAY. IT WOULD BE MORE IN ACCORD WITH LAW AND COMMON SENSE IF THE SUPERINTENDENT LOOKED FOR A LAW TO FORBID THE APPEARANCE OF BANDS ON SUNDAY BEFORE HE ISSUED HIS EDICT OF PROHIBITION.

FOR OUR PART WE CAN SEE NOTHING WRONG IN A PEACEABLE AND ORDERLY PROCESSION BY A LAW-ABIDING AND RESPECTABLE BODY OF MEN WHETHER THEY ARE CELEBRATING AN EVENT OF THEIR FRATERNITY OR ONE OF A RELIGIOUS CHARACTER. IF IT IS FORBIDDEN SUCH SOCIETIES TO HAVE A BAND ON THE STREET THEN THEIR RIGHTS AND THE RIGHTS OF EVERY CLASS OF CITIZENS ARE INVADED AND IF THIS BE TOLERATED IT MAY ULTIMATELY BECOME NECESSARY TO ASK MR. MOFFATT FOR PERMISSION TO WALK THE STREETS OR EVEN TO BREATHE.

IT IS NOT OFTEN THAT BANDS APPEAR ON THE STREETS OF LOWELL, BUT THERE ARE OCCASIONS WHEN THEIR PRESENCE MAY BE REQUIRED SO THAT THE RIGHT SHOULD NOT BE ABROGATED.

WE FIND THAT IT IS RECOGNIZED AS LEGAL TO LET THE SALVATION ARMY MARCH WITH MUSIC ALONG THE STREETS, IT IS SIMILARLY RECOGNIZED AS LEGAL TO HAVE BAND CONCERTS ON SUNDAY IN PUBLIC PARKS AND COMMONS AND EVEN TO ALLOW THE STEAM HURDY GURDIES OF FLYING HORSES TO KEEP UP THEIR THRENODIES MORNING, NOON AND NIGHT ON SUNDAY.

FURTHERMORE, IT IS NOT UNCOMMON TO HEAR PHONOGRAPHS PLAYING AS ONE PASSES ALONG THE STREETS ON SUNDAYS. NOW IF SUPT. MOFFATT'S CONTENTION IS GOOD, NOT ONLY WILL BANDS BE STOPPED BUT THE SALVATION ARMY MUST CEASE TO USE THE CORNET, THE DRUM AND THE TAMBOURINE; CONCERTS IN PUBLIC PLACES OF AMUSEMENT MUST BE OUTLAWED THAT THE PEOPLE OF THESE PARTS MAY REMAIN IN THEIR HOMES PRESERVING A DEGREE OF QUIETUDE AND SOLEMNITY THAT WOULD SUGGEST A CITY OF QUAKERS.

IF A CHURCH OR A RELIGIOUS SOCIETY DESIRES TO BRING OUT A BAND ON SUNDAY IN A CHARITABLE, PATRIOTIC OR SEMI-RELIGIOUS CELEBRATION, WE BELIEVE THERE SHOULD BE NO PROHIBITION, IT MATTERS NOT WHETHER THEY ARE JEWS OR GENTILES, CATHOLICS, PROTESTANTS, MAZDAZNANS OR MOHAMMEDANS.

THE MUSIC OF A BAND CANNOT BE REGARDED EITHER AS A PUBLIC DISTURBANCE OR A DESECRATION OF THE SABBATH AND CANNOT, THEREFORE, COME UNDER THE CATEGORY OF THINGS PROHIBITED ON THE SABBATH DAY.

WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE LOCAL GREEKS WERE AT FIRST OPPOSED BY SUPT. MOFFATT IN THEIR DESIRE TO HAVE A BAND HEAD THEIR PARADE IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEDICATION OF THEIR NEW CHURCH. IT WAS MAINLY ON ACCOUNT OF HIS OPPOSITION ON THIS SCORE THAT THEY PUT OVER MARKET STREET AN ARCH INSCRIBED "LONG LIVE LIBERTY."

IF THERE IS A LAW AGAINST BANDS IN A SUNDAY PARADE OF A SEMI-RELIGIOUS CHARACTER THEN SUPT. MOFFATT IS NOT TO BLAME FOR BEING TOO OFFICIOUS. BUT IF THE SUPERINTENDENT WITHOUT SUCH A LAW UNDERTAKES TO IMPOSE RESTRICTIONS UPON THE RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES OF CITIZENS HE MAY EXPECT THAT THERE WILL BE A VIGOROUS KICK AND ONE THAT WILL NOT DOWN AT HIS BIDDING. IT IS PROBABLY FORTUNATE THAT THE EDICTS OF SUPT. MOFFATT ARE NOT LAW.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY AS NOW CONSTITUTED WILL NEVER ELECT A PRESIDENT ON AN ANTI-GAMBLING PLATFORM. IF THE HUGHES BOOMERS IN NEW YORK WOULD KEEP THIS IN MIND THEY MIGHT MAKE MORE PROGRESS. FOR THEIR CANDIDATE PLAIN GAMBLING IS HARMLESS SPORT COMPARED TO THE PUBLIC PLUNDER AUTHORIZED BY THE PARTY IN MAINTAINING SOME OF THE OUTRAGEOUS TARIFF SCHEDULES. SOMETHING OF AN ANTI-PANIC PLATFORM IS WHAT IS NEEDED AT THE PRESENT TIME.

SEEN AND HEARD

German painters are competing for a unique prize offered by the German emperor, says the Berliner Borsen Courier. The kaiser wishes to give to the Emperor Francis Joseph as a jubilee present a lifesize portrait of himself in the uniform of a general wearing a helmet, and, contrary to his usual custom, has not intrusted the work to an artist selected by himself but has invited competition. Many sketches are now being made, and the painter whose work pleases the kaiser most will receive the order. It is generally believed that the artist whose picture flatters most effectively will win the prize.

Teacher—If a vehicle with two wheels is a bicycle, and one with three wheels a tricycle, what is one with only one wheel?

Scholar—A wheelbarrow.

"I want some collars for my husband," said a woman in a hosiery shop, "but I am afraid I have forgotten the size."

"Thirteen and a half, ma'am?" suggested the assistant.

"That's it. How on earth did you know?"

"Gentlemen who let their wives buy their collars for 'em are almost always about that size, ma'am," explained the observant one.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

NEW STYLES ARE RARE.

Boston Herald: Dr. A. Hamilton Rice, back from his extensive travels and researches in South America corrects a great many popular notions concerning the habits and general appearance of the natives of that dark region and at the same time confirms certain others. There are the costumes of the ladies, for instance. There seems to have been no perceptible change in the dressmakers' fashions there since the dawn of creation.

ENGLAND AND JAPAN.

Baltimore American: When England entered into her pact with Japan she was influenced by her desire to safeguard the frontiers of India. She also expected by the spirit of reciprocity thus engendered to act in harmony with Japan in the commercializing of China. But there is no real tie of interest between the Japanese and the English traders, and the people of the latter country are waking to the realization that for a theoretical advantage they have seriously hampered themselves in the direction of their natural activity, the development of new markets.

CANADIAN WOOD PULP.

Philadelphia Record: There is no basis for the fear that we took the duty off wood pulp Canada would impose an export duty. In the first place, Canada is not the only other source of supply; a good bit of wood pulp comes from Europe. Further than that, all the Canadian interests are reported on good authority to be favorable to the exportation of wood pulp to the United States. Canada's forests of spruce are so vast that there is not the least fear of their exhaustion, and the Dominion government as well as the commercial classes of Canada would be glad to see the export business increased. But it is not likely that it would be. The paper trust could meet foreign competition, and would do it fast enough if it had to.

CATHOLIC CENTENARY.

The Churchman: The Roman Catholic church in this land can point to something more than numerical increase, striking as that is in the history of religious organization. There has been, besides, a working out of spiritual tendencies and religious convictions, in a unique environment, with unique results. The successes of Roman Catholics may be justly ascribed to their adherence to primary principles in religious work. They have performed the immediate duties of the present. The work of their church in America is with the great masses of the people. The response to this policy is written in the history of these hundred years. On the basis of a democratic religious appeal, penetrating and assimilating the masses of people of most diverse origin and traditions, there has been built up a church administration which has visible and beneficent results throughout American life. In this experience there is more than a hopeful outlook for Roman Catholics themselves. Painstaking, consecrated pastoral work always brings its reward. What Roman Catholics have accomplished for the vast mass of humanity has been done in the face of problems so difficult and complicated that, as a rule, other Christian communions have passed them by.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Elder Archie Brown of Fort Branch has an old record that carries the imprint of early days. The book belongs to the record of the Primitive Baptist church at Pigeon, Warrick county, in what was then the Territory of Indiana. The first entry in the book was made in the year 1816. It shows an entry in June, 1823, where Thomas Lincoln and wife united with the Pigeon church, the former by letter, the latter by experience. Thomas Lincoln was the father of Abraham Lincoln and his wife was the stepmother of the president.

Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, who is heading his campaign in Dundee for a seat in the house of commons, was compelled to retire discomfited recently after a single handed combat with the suffragettes.

The minister had arranged to address a gathering of workmen during their dinner hour outside the Blackness foundry, but before he arrived a militant suffragette, Miss Maloney, drove up in a wagonette and appealed to the workmen not to listen to Mr. Churchill until he apologized for the accusations he made in a previous speech that the suffragettes in Beckham had allied themselves with the forces of drink and allowed themselves to be carried in men's arms in the streets.

Miss Maloney was very indignant about this charge and declared that if the men did not stop Mr. Churchill from speaking she would. She thereupon produced a big hand bell and clanged it defiantly amid laughter and ironical cheers from the crowd. At this moment Mr. Churchill arrived in an automobile.

"Here's the spring chicken we are looking for," exclaimed Miss Maloney, as she began again a fantasia on the dinner bell. Mr. Churchill doffed his hat smilingly as he passed the wagonette.

"He won't face me!" shouted Miss Maloney, and she added: "I won't let him speak. I'll follow him all over Dundee."

As she kept the bell busy, Mr. Churchill moved his automobile further on and started his speech. "Politics is a serious business," he began, but Miss Maloney had pursued him and drowned his further words with her bell. Mr. Churchill then sat down smiling resignedly and lighted a cigarete.

Mme. Emma Eames, under the guidance of Chief Croker, has inspected the fire department. She rode about to the different houses in Commissioner Hayes' automobile, and all along the line a lot of very proud and blushing firemen did their best stunts to win the singer's approval. Mme. Eames' verdict was that they are "perfectly darling."

The inspection trip came about through a remark Mme. Eames made to Chief Croker after she had sung last Friday at the Firemen's Memorial benefit at the Metropolitan Opera House that she had always wanted really to know some of the smoke eaters.

The first stop was made at the house of Engine Company 65 in West Forty-third street, where Mme. Eames went from the cellar to the club rooms on the third floor and marvelled at the cleanness of it all. At Engine 25's headquarters in West Fifty-eighth street Capt. George Bauer ordered out the engine, so that the visitor might see the men in action. The company had no sooner returned from the exhibition run down the street than a real alarm came in notifying the company to hold itself in readiness to respond on a third alarm. This was real business and Mme. Eames was delighted.

ILLICIT TRAFFIC

Smuggling Scheme Suspected at Cuttyhunk

NEW BEDFORD, May 6.—The arrest yesterday of Joseph Perry and Joseph Alves, the former an employe of the United States customs department, on the technical charge of keeping liquor illegally, has led to startling disclosures of a mammoth smuggling scheme, in which it is claimed the United States government has been defrauded of thousands of dollars.

Investigations made by the customs officials have involved the suspicion that inhabitants of the Island of Cuttyhunk, the entrance of Buzzard's Bay, have for years been smuggling in Portuguese liquor called Aguardiente.

It is believed by the officials that fishermen and other boat owners on the Island of Cuttyhunk have for a long time been making a practice of sailing out to the packet bearing immigrants from the island of Brava, taking off kegs of this native Portuguese liquor and storing it for weeks in their homes.

Then, it is believed, they have encased the liquor in barrels marked "fish" and shipped it to this city, where it has found a ready sale among the large Brava colony.

The exposure of the gigantic smuggling scheme was brought about by the arrest today by the local police of Joseph Perry, a watchman in the employ of the customs department.

The police raided his home on South Water street and took out several kegs of Aguardiente, one of the kegs having a spigot attached. Jose Alves, his next door neighbor, was also raided and more liquor was found in his home.

Perry, who is employed as an interpreter for the government to talk for the hundreds of Portuguese immigrants who arrive here in the course of the summer, has been in charge of the wharf where the packets come in.

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CAPTAIN HURLEY

Expects An Arrest in Mullins Case

SAYS HE KNOWS GUILTY ONE

Has Been Under Surveillance a Month

BOSTON, May 6.—It is now reported that the Arlington police, with the co-operation of the Cambridge authorities, are planning to make an arrest in the murder of Annie Mullins. The present suspect has been under surveillance for more than a month, and on April 5 Capt. Hurley of Cambridge sought to have him arrested.

"The man now sought as the murderer of Annie Mullins, in consequence of evidence furnished by Motorman Donnelly, who recalls having carried him on his car on the night of the tragedy, is the one whose arrest I demanded as far back as April 5," said Capt. Hurley of the Cambridge police last night.

Everything pointed to this suspect, and no matter where we turned we encountered evidence against him. I have never at any time seriously considered any one else.

"After weeks of investigation, myself and Inspector Neilan are convinced there is ample evidence to place the charge of murder against this man. So certain have we been that on April 5 I called the other officers who have been working on the case into my office and notified them that I intended to place this suspect under arrest at 9 o'clock that morning. The Arlington police, however, did not wish to make a formal arrest at that time.

"I figure that this man had been drinking on the day of the murder. He undoubtedly quarreled with the girl, and in a temper due, no doubt, as much to liquor as anything else, he killed her.

"The description furnished by Motorman Donnelly of the man who boarded his car near Porter's bridge that night and got off at Shepard street, which leads to Walker street, where Miss Mullins was employed, fits this particular suspect, and so do all of his movements that evening.

"What is more, he was seen in the vicinity. He undoubtedly was the person Mrs. von Jagemann saw Annie talking with at the door at 7 o'clock. Leaving a minute or two later, he had ample time to go as far as Porter's bridge for whatever he wanted and return on the car driven by Donnelly, which passed the bridge at 7.15. This brought him back to Shepard street and Massachusetts avenue about 7.20 to keep the appointment for which he told Donnelly he feared he was late.

"While it might be satisfying to locate the other passenger who was riding on the front platform when the suspect boarded it, his testimony is not essential. Donelly told me that he feels sure who the suspect is, because he asked him (Donnelly) the time, after calling him by name. Motorman Donnelly came to me on April 13 and submitted the evidence which was made public yesterday.

"The light complexioned young man interrogated today had no connection with the Mullins case."

The Arlington police searched all day yesterday for the other man who rode in the vestibule with Motorman Donnelly and the alleged murder suspect that night, but without success.

Should an arrest be made it would have to be on the request of the Arlington police. Such a development is expected.

BIG CONVENTION

Of Adventists to be Held Here

SUPT. GENERAL WILL ATTEND

Big Mass Meeting on Wednesday, May 13

Next week, May 11-17, inclusive, will witness the annual spring assembly of Pentecostal churches of the Nazarene of the N. E. district in the local church on First street. The committee on preparation and entertainment is expecting over 100 pastors and delegates. Dr. P. L. Biesse, the senior general superintendent from Los Angeles, Cal., will be present throughout the session.

The assembly proper will be preceded by a great mass meeting on Wednesday night, May 13th. The business sessions will be held from 10 a. m. until noon. The afternoon and evening services will be given over to preaching and the presenting of the general interest of the work, educational, missionary, etc.

The public is cordially invited to all the services.

Letter to Young Men

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Emergency Cases Shut Off Until June 1

WOBURN, May 6.—Local druggists are much wrought up because their right to dispense alcohol or liquors even medicinally and in cases of known emergency are suspended during the month of May. Several cases are reported where patients were dangerously ill with fever or suffering greatly with rheumatism and the alcohol prescribed by attending physicians could not be secured locally.

The license commissioners having refused to grant any druggists' licenses of the sixth class, the matter is up to the city council. The no-license regime started May 1, but the license commissioners' control does not cease under statute law until May 50, and the city council cannot act until June 1. This leaves the druggists hanging in the air for 30 days.

When the action of the commissioners was reported the druggists immediately applied to the state board of registration in pharmacy for certificates of fitness under which they might do a liquor business on physicians' prescriptions until such time as the city council may act. Mayor Blodgett, believing the state authorities should not be invoked until the local authorities have failed, has protested, and a hearing has been ordered.

It is probable, whatever the outcome, that the druggists will lose a month's trade along alcoholic and spirituous lines, and sufferers with illness will have to order supplies by express.

SHE WOULDN'T LET GO.

Yesterday's Webber demonstrative cooking lecture at the Appliance Store of the Lowell Gas Light company, John street, was good all the way. Those familiar with the architecture of this store will understand when it is stated that the house was packed to the roof. Tomorrow's lecture will begin at 3 o'clock.

At these lectures, one on entering the store is handed a silver spoon. Thus armed the visitor seats herself comfortably and awaits developments. Miss Webber proceeds with her lecture. She is a rapid talker but as she talks her fingers keep pace with her talking attachment, the result of which is most interesting to follow as she produces each dainty and appetizing dish. Then the dish is passed about the room and this is when the aforesaid spoon begins to work. Each listener is supposed to take a dip and taste and pass the article under discussion to her neighbor. One day last week the dish never got by an enthusiastic not to say hungry patron. She seemed to know a good thing. She wouldn't let go until she had cleaned up the dish, much to the disappointment of her neighbors, to the indignation of Mr. Nash and to the amusement of Miss Webber who realized she had made a hit.

However, the lady was well within her rights for she bought a gas range the very next day. Yes, she returned the spoon.

Dance with the Touring club tonight.

ADMIRAL EVANS

Again Commands the Atlantic Fleet

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., May 6.—The Atlantic battleship fleet sailed at 3 o'clock yesterday for San Francisco with Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans in command, closely followed by the torpedo flotilla.

At 8.30 yesterday morning the Connecticut went to Monterey to which point Admiral Evans had come by train. He was met at the wharf by a launch from the flagship.

Four picked seamen lifted the admiral from the train and placed him in an invalid chair and rolled him to the launch waiting at the end of the wharf. He walked down the ladder to the launch, leaning on a crutch and aided by two seamen, who assisted him at every step. The moment he was on board the launch shoved off and in a few minutes was alongside the Connecticut. Everything on the flagship was in readiness and the moment the launch came alongside ropes were lowered, attached to a chair and the admiral was hoisted in the air, the guy hauled in and the fleet commander was gently deposited on the deck of his old ship at the same instant the blue flag with the two white stars broke out at the masthead.

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The Lowells Are "Getting Used to it"

Good, Bad and Bum Ball Playing Characterized Lowell's Effort Against Haverhill—New Pitcher Had a Quick Finish

Billy Hamilton and his aggregation from the Shoe City down the river made their first appearance of the season at Washington park this afternoon. There were about three hundred fans in attendance, the slamming that the Lowell team got at Haverhill yesterday afternoon having a dampened effect on the local enthusiasts.

President Winn presented a new pitcher in the person of one Henley, who halls from Pennsylvania, but he lasted only half an inning. His playing was of such a nature that it was deemed advisable to relegate him to the bench. Kenniston took his place.

Umpire Mike O'Brien, he of the megaphonic voice, did the umpiring and called the game at 3.10.

FIRST INNING.

Neither side scored in the first inning. Billet opened with a base on balls and he went to second on Barton's sacrifice. Hamilton hit by Healey to Shannon and beat the ball to first. Boardman hit to Shannon who threw to second getting Hamilton and the ball was sent to first for a double play.

In Lowell's half Rhoddy flied out to Collins and Wolfe hit to Unlac and was out at first. Howard was third out on a fly to Courtney.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

SECOND INNING.

In the second inning Henley was taken out and Kenniston substituted. Courtney flied out to Shannon. Unlac hit to deep centre field for two bases, but he died on the second bag for Collins struck out and Perkins hit to Kenniston and was out at first.

In the latter half of the inning Duff hit in front of the plate and thinking that the ball as a foul did not run. He was tagged out by Perkins. Cotter flied out to Billet. Harris hit to left field for the first single for the home team. Shannon flied out to Billet closing the inning.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

THIRD INNING.

Both teams failed to score in the third inning. Barry hit to Wolfe and died at first. Billet secured a free pass and Barton followed with a fly which Cotter took care of. Billet tried to steal second base and was nailed.

In Lowell's half Duggan hit to Boardman and was out at first. Kenniston sent the ball over Hamilton's head in centre garden for a clean two bagger, but Rhoddy popped a foul fly which Collins took care of, and Wolfe was third out on a fly to Hamilton.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

FOURTH INNING.

The visitors went out in one, two, three order in the fourth inning. Hamilton, the first man up, flied out to Cotter. Boardman hit to Wolfe and was out at first while Courtney hit to Kenniston and met a similar fate.

In Lowell's half Howard flied out to Hamilton and Duff and Cotter went out on line drives to Unlac.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

FIFTH INNING.

In the fifth inning Unlac hit a hot grounder which Shannon fumbled and the runner reached first. Collins struck out for the second time. Perkins hit a slow grounder to Harris and was out at first and Barry hit a high fly which Harris caught, and was the third out.

Lowell broke the ice in the latter half of the fifth and sent one man over the plate. Harris hit to Boardman who threw bad to first and he was safe. He went to second on a sacrifice by Shannon. Duggan hit to Boardman and was out at first, but Harris by clever running scored. Harris failed to touch third base, but the umpire did not notice it. Kenniston singled to right field. Rhoddy was third out, hitting to Barry and being retired at first.

Score—Lowell 1, Haverhill 0.

SIXTH INNING.

The visitors scored four runs in the sixth inning. Billet, the first man up, drew a base on balls for the third time. Barton bunted to Kenniston who threw to second to get Billet, but both men were safe. Hamilton bunted to Kenniston who threw perfectly to first, but Wolfe in covering the base fell down and the bases were filled. Boardman followed with a fly to Cotter, Billet scoring on the putout. Courtney hit to centre field and Howard threw the ball to Kenniston and the latter threw it to Duggan, getting Barton at the plate. Unlac then got a base on balls, filling the bases again. Collins then lined the ball out to deep left field for two bases, and all three men on base scored. Collins tried to get third and was thrown out. He was thrown out before the last man had crossed the plate, but the run was allowed.

The home team scored two runs in the latter half of the inning. Wolfe hit to Unlac who fumbled and he was safe. Howard advanced him with a single to centre field. On the throw to third he got Wolfe Howard went to second. Duff hit to Unlac and was out at first. Cotter hit to left field for a single, scoring Wolfe and Howard. Harris hit to right field for a single, but Shannon flied out to Courtney and Duggan flied out to Unlac.

Score—Haverhill 4, Lowell 3.

SEVENTH INNING.

In the seventh inning Perkins hit to Shannon who fumbled and the former was safe. Barry fanned the breezes. Billet flied out to Howard. Perkins then stole second, but Barton was third out on strikes.

In the latter half of the seventh Barry was put on the bench and Fullerton was put in to pitch. Lowell got a man as far as second but failed to score. Kenniston hit to Unlac and was out at first. Rhoddy flied out to Hamilton. Wolfe then sent the ball to deep right field for two bases, but Howard hit along the first base line and was out.

Score—Haverhill 4, Lowell 3.

EIGHTH INNING.

"Billy" Hamilton was the first man to bat in the eighth inning, and when he got a good ball over the plate he slammed it over the right field fence for a home run. Boardman hit to Shannon and the latter made his third fumble and the runner was safe. Courtney drew a base on balls. Unlac hit to Rhoddy who threw to third to get the runner, but the throw was slightly off color and the bases were filled. Collins and Perkins struck out. Fullerton also struck out.

Duff hit to Barton and was out at first. Cotter hit to deep centre field for two bases. Harris flied out to Billet. Shannon hit to Unlac and was out at first.

Score—Haverhill 5, Lowell 3.

NINTH INNING.

Billet got his base on balls for the fourth time. He went to second on a sacrifice by Barton. Hamilton hit to Shannon and beat the ball out to first for the fourth hit. Boardman flied out to Harris. Hamilton stole second. Courtney hit to right field, scoring Billet and Hamilton. Courtney stole second. Unlac struck out.

Dugagn hit o Boardman and was out at first. Kenniston hit to Unias and was out at first. Rhoddy hit to Barton and was out at first.

The score:

HAVERHILL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Billet, lf	1	2	0	3	0	0
Borton, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Hamilton, cf	5	3	4	3	0	0
Boardman, 3b	4	0	0	0	4	1
Courtney, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Unlac, ss	3	1	1	3	4	1
Collins, 1b	4	0	1	14	1	0
Perkins, c	4	0	0	1	0	0
Barry, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Fullerton, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	7	8	27	13	2

LOWELL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Rhoddy, 1b	5	0	0	6	0	1
Wolfe, 2b	4	1	1	4	3	0
Howard, cf	4	1	1	1	1	0
Duff, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cotter, lf	4	0	2	3	1	0
Harris, 3b	4	1	2	3	0	0
Shannon, ss	3	0	0	1	2	3
Duggan, c	4	0	0	9	1	0
Henley, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Kenniston, p	4	0	2	0	4	1
Totals	36	3	8	27	13	5

Haverhill	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	2	—7
Lowell	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	—3

Two base hits—Unlac, Collins, Cotter, Wolfe, Kenniston. Home run—Hamilton. Double plays—Shannon, Wolfe and Rhoddy. Bases on balls—By Kenniston 5, by Henley 1. Struck out—By Kenniston 8. Stolen bases—Hamilton, Perkins, Courtney. Hits—Off Barry, 6 in 7 innings; off Fullerton, 2 in 2 innings; off Kenniston 8 in 8 innings. Time—2.10. Umpire—M. O'Brien.

DIAMOND NOTES

Lowell at Glen Forest today.

Everybody wins but Lowell. They couldn't beat a drum.

Manager Winn is in New York trying to get Mike Donlin to play here, it is said.

Fred Lake has a six-year-old son who shows promise of becoming a ball player. Why not give him a try-out with Lowell?

Shannon just couldn't make his hands behave in yesterday's game.

Rhoddy needs a file or a soft pedal for his voice.

There's a concern on Market street that manufactures something for that tired feeling.

It was worth the price of admission to see Rube Kenniston strike out three men in succession with three on bases.

The netting was up on the foundry side yesterday. There appears to be need of a netting over the right field fence.

When Hamilton clouts the ball all wireless telegraphic messages should take a side street lest the ball destroy them. Billy certainly punctured several air currents when he cracked that home run.

Lawrence will play tomorrow and perhaps we may win. Perhaps.

It's a pleasure to listen to a man like Hamilton coach his team. While rather severe when the player is bad he never fails to acknowledge a good play.

The home team goes to Worcester Saturday. Here's hoping they're allowed to return.

A new pitcher named Henley was put in for half an inning. He tried to stop one of Billy Hamilton's grass-cutters with his unprotected hand and now he's playing "This little pig went to market" with the tips of his fingers.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The O. M. I. Cadets would like to arrange a game with any strong amateur team for May 9, and also for May 16. Send all challenges to James A. McManimon, 21 High street.

The Hilltops would like a game for next Saturday. T. Safford, 30 Talbot street. Telephone 1160.

The Methlands have organized for the season and will play any team under 13 years. H. Garrity, 415 Chelmsford street.

The Very Wells are looking for games for the season. Send challenges to Mr. Quinn, 11 Adams street.

James Riley, Manager of the Holy Name Society team of St. Michael's church, is anxious to arrange games with the strongest teams of the city averaging 18 years. Send challenges to Hampshire street.

The Chestnuts defeated the Young Oregons by a score of 16 to 8. The features of the game were the batting of Yates, Duffy, and the fielding of Keene, Thomas and McManus. Our lineup is as follows: Holland, c; Kirland, p; Sheehan, 1b; Duffy, 2b; Keene, 3b; Yates, ss; Dorathy, rf; McManus, cf; Thomas, lf. We would like to challenge the Cowboys under 13 years of age. Send all challenges to Fred Holland, capt., 60 Chestnut street.

The Emeries defeated the Wide-Awakes Saturday by the score of 5 to 4 in an interesting game. The features of the game were the batting of Allen and the fielding of Durkin. The batteries were Jenkins and Allen for the Emeries and Lovejoy and Shelden for the defeated nine.

The Batchelders were defeated by the Iolas last Saturday by the score of 4 to 8. Wilkins pitched a poor game for the Batchelders, letting five men walk, and being batted for 35 hits. Features were contributed by Walsh for the Batchelders, and Lane for the Iolas. The batteries were Woods and Beauleau for the Iolas, and Wilkins and Frasier for the Batchelders.

The Burnsides have an open date for Saturday afternoon, April 9. Our lineup is: R. Favor c, G. J. Birkenhead p, J. Walsh 1b, H. Jenkins 2b, C. Carter ss, G. Gill 3b, D. McClellan lf, A. Molloy cf, Jessie Gill and Midget Regan are both trying for right field. Send all challenges to J. Walsh, 34 Burnside street, city. We claim the championship of the city under 16 years.

Well! Here we are again! Who? The Young Americans. We have played four games and won four. We would like to challenge the Elm Blues, or the Central Stars. We have a great pitcher and a fine shortstop and a star first-baseman. Our lineup is as follows:

Pitcher, Tom McArdle, manager; catcher, Joe Foster; 1st baseman, Walter Murray, captain; 2d baseman, Jim Foster; 3d baseman, Hap Foster; shortstop, Joe Duggan; left field, John Battersby; centre field, Jim Keefe; right field, Henry Wood.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	12	7	63.2
New York	10	6	62.5
Cleveland	9	6	60.0
St. Louis	10	8	55.6
Chicago	8	8	50.0
Boston	7	11	38.9
Washington	6	11	35.3
Detroit	5	10	33.3

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 5, Boston 2.

At Chicago—Cleveland-Chicago game postponed, cold weather and rain.

At Washington—Washington-New York game postponed, wet grounds.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 2, Detroit 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	11	3	78.6
Pittsburg	8	4	66.7
New York	10	7	58.8
Boston	10	8	55.6
Philadelphia	8	9	47.1
Cincinnati	5	7	41.7
Brooklyn	7	11	38.9
St. Louis	3	13	18.8

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Boston 7, Brooklyn 1.

At New York—New York 4, Philadelphia 0.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg-Chicago, postponed—Rain.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lynn	4	0	100.0
Brockton	3	1	75.0
Haverhill	3	1	75.0
Fall River	2	2	50.0
New Bedford	2	2	50.0
Worcester	1	3	25.0
Lawrence	1	3	25.0
Lowell	0	4	00.0

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Fall River Fall—Fall River 2, Brockton 0.

At New Bedford—New Bedford 6, Worcester 4.

At Lawrence—Lynn 6, Lawrence 4.

At Lowell—Haverhill 7, Lowell 3.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lynn at Haverhill.
Worcester at Fall River.
Lowell at Lawrence.
New Bedford at Brockton.

(American League.)

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Cleveland at Chicago.

(National League.)

Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

CHEAPEST OF ALL.

Of all the forms of advertising, the cheapest and best is advertising in the daily newspapers. The cheapest newspapers are those with the largest circulation in their respective fields.... Handbills are wasteful, expensive and of little effect. Posters are played out, because they are costly and very uncertain in durability or effect. Signboards are expensive and short lived. The Daily Newspaper is the safest, surest and cheapest of all, and the best of the local papers is The Sun, because it has the largest circulation in Lowell.

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

7-20-4

10c CIGAR

Increased sales in past two months 437,000. Money's worth to consumer tells the story.

MARTIN CANOLE

Defeated Frank Madden in Fifth Round

NEW BEDFORD, May 6.—Martin Canole of Fall River last night showed that he still has some of his old-time speed, by winning a quick victory over Frankie Madden of New York in their bout before the Jefferson A. C. Madden held his own for four rounds and landed frequently in the clinches, but failed to do any noticeable damage.

In the fifth Canole had apparently sized up his man to his satisfaction and started in to finish him. Two left swings to the stomach dropped Madden to his knees, and he got up only to stop a hard left to the jaw, which put him down for four seconds. Madden endeavored to clinch, but Canole found his jaw again, Canole falling over him as he dropped.

A right put Madden down for the count of six, and after two more knock-downs Madden's second threw a sponge into the ring. Madden was dazed and tried to get at Canole after the decision had been announced.

Canole, though too fat, showed considerable of his old-time agility, and his defensive work was excellent.

In the semi-final Young Craig of this city and Young Howe of Middleboro went eight rounds to a draw. The preliminary was a wrestling exhibition between Young Michaud and Young Florence, in either being able to secure a fall in 15 minutes' work.

About 600 saw the bouts, including a delegation of 200 from Fall River.

TOMMY RYAN

HAS QUIT THE FIGHTING GAME FOR GOOD.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Tommy Ryan has quit the fighting game for all time. The once great welterweight said today: "I've had enough. I will retire without having been beaten by a man of my own weight. That's good enough record for anybody to boast of, and it satisfies me right down to the ground.

"That fruit farm of mine at Fair Plain looks pretty good to me and I am going to stick there. The bad weather has put the fruit back a little, but I guess everything will come out all right.

"Only "Kid" McCoy has beaten me, and he was a light heavyweight and not even a middleweight. I never weighed over 148 pounds in my fighting days, and even now, with my overcoat on, I weigh only 175 pounds. Often when I was boxing I could do 142 pounds easily. That ought to show that almost every time I entered the ring I went out of my class.

"I claim that I retire middleweight champion, but, of course, that is not going to get me anything. But I will claim it just the same and see if I cannot make somebody mad."

It lacks only a few weeks of 20 years since Tommy Ryan became conspicuous as a pugilist. It was July 20, 1888, that he knocked out Joe Johnson in five rounds at Marion, Mich., that being his first important fight. In his 20 years he has fought 110 times, and in only three of those years has he kept out of the ring. His last bouts were with Dave Barry and Hugo Kelly late in the winter of 1907.

FOUGHT A DRAW

"MIKE" GANNON MADE A GRAND SHOWING.

BOSTON, May 6—"Mike" Gannon of Pittsburg, Pa., who supplied the place of "Young" Erne of Philadelphia, at short notice, fought "Cyclone" Tommy Johnson, of Sacramento, Ills., 12 rounds to a draw at the Armory A. A., last night. The match was a fine exhibition of boxing.

HANGED HIMSELF

After He Had Chloroformed Daughter

CINCINNATI, May 6—Charles Kuppe, a musician, of Cleveland, chloroformed his imbecile daughter, aged 27, there yesterday and then hanged himself. He left a letter, the burden of which was that it was better that his daughter were dead than suffer and be a care to her mother, and that since chloroforming, as favored by many who called themselves humanitarians, had not been legalized he would kill himself.

Kuppe's letter defends the cult of Euthanasia, of which Miss Anna Hall of this city, daughter of an Arctic explorer, has been high priestess. Miss Hall yesterday said that "Kuppe not only had a moral right to end the sufferings of his daughter, but it is a pity that he had not also a legal right.

"He should not have committed suicide, however," she continued. "He should have lived in order that in the courts there might be tested for the first time the right of one to put out of misery a fellow human being. I favor the relieving of imbeciles by death at their birth."

Miss Hall said she had in contemplation the forming of a society composed of those who believe as she does.

Follow the crowd to Mathew hall tonight.

BOWLING NOTES

Several Games of Interest Last Night

The Crescents won two points from the Favorites in a game in the Minor league series played on the Crescent alleys last night. The Favorites, however, had the total pinfall.

The single men and married men had at it at the Bridge Street Bowlaway last night the former winning by a narrow margin:

MINOR LEAGUE.

Favorites.

	1	2	3	T'l
Cole	84	75	81	2[illegible]3
Hastings	92	[illegible]	[illegible]	274
McCarthy	83	[illegible]	[illegible]	2[illegible]0
A. Jedola	94	10[illegible]	10[illegible]	2[illegible]
Colpitts	87	97	[illegible]	2[illegible]
Totals	4[illegible]	45[illegible]	[illegible]	1339

Crescents.

	1	2	3	T'l
Lebrun	92	81	[illegible]	2[illegible]
Hennessy	108	74	[illegible]	27[illegible]
King	75	78	[illegible]	2[illegible]
Lemieux	85	82	92	2[illegible]
Boucher	84	94	[illegible]	2[illegible]
Totals	444	419	4[illegible]	1[illegible]

POLLARD'S CLERKS.

Married Men.

	1	2	3	T'l
R. Morren	75	83	81	239
C. Dellaronde	93	89	90	272
F. Dubois	85	83	83	251
Capt. Proulx	78	81	76	235
J. Sullivan	89	113	81	283
Totals	420	449	411	1280

Single Men.

	1	2	3	T'l
F. Blanchett	95	83	78	276
J. Lavalle	78	93	80	251
J. Gagnon	91	77	83	251
Capt. Burns	98	90	105	278
H. Coutu	89	90	82	261
Totals	451	423	423	1297

KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT.

	1	2	3	T'l
Sweatt	89	97	82	268
D. Simpson	80	73	72	225
Totals	169	170	154	493
B. Simpson	70	80	91	241
H. Juner	89	86	90	264
Totals	159	166	181	505

TO PRIESTHOOD

Lowell Men Will be Ordained Next Week

Rev. Omer Fortin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Fortin of 1 Hamel place, Ludlam street, will be ordained to the priesthood at Quebec, May 17, by Mgr. Begin, archbishop of Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Fortin have left for Canada, with their daughter, Miss Annie Fortin, to be present at the ordination. Before going to Quebec, they will go to Saint-Georges-de-la-Beauce, where another daughter, Miss Cecile, who is a student at the convent there, is to make her first communion on May 10. They will later visit in Cap Saint-Ignace, Mr. Fortin's native place.

The young cleric is a native of Cap Saint-Ignace, and pursued his theological studies in the seminary of Sante-Anne-de-la-Pocatiere.

BASEBALL

Washington Park, Thursday Afternoon

Lowell vs. Lawrence

Game called at 3.15

Reserved seats for all Saturdays and holidays on sale at Carter & Sherburne's and Willson's stores.

CRACKS IN EARTH

But Woburn People Felt no Shocks

MAIN FISSURE 600 FEET LONG

The Opening Nearly an Inch Wide

WOBURN, May 6.—The discovery was made Monday that the ground locally known as Pierce's field, an open tract of land near the western shores of Horn pond, much frequented by Sunday ball players, shows a series of well-defined cracks which hint at seismic disturbances, and yesterday many visited the locality to view for themselves the strange phenomenon.

The main fissure is possibly 600 feet long, running in an irregular course from the high ground bounding the ball field across the valley. This main opening is nearly an inch wide and extends downward until an angle in the split makes its impossible to ascertain its exaact depth. From the main line radiate in both directions 8 or 10 branches equally irregular in course and varying in length from 25 to 250 feet. Throughout the entire length the crack is clearly defined.

This section of the city is largely woodland and much of it is of a swampy meadow nature. There are no nearby residents. No earthquake shocks have been noted here, and public curiosity is aroused.

CHELMSFORD

The Women's guild of the Second Congregational church held a dramatic and musical entertainment in the town hall, last evening. The program was as follows:

Piano duet .... Selected
Miss Marion W. Crowell and Miss Gladys Swain.
Short story, "The Clanging Hours," .... Morrison
Miss Dorrell Fuller.
Contralto solo .... Selected
Mrs. Charles H. McIntire.
Monolog, "The Family Plate," .... Phillips
Miss Mabelle Thayer.
Violin solo .... Selected
Mr. Alfred S. Levi.
Sketch:
a—"Bees" .... Holmes
b—"Ballad of the Brook" ..Cameron
Miss Vesta Van Brunt.
Short story, "The Bringing-To of Flora May" .... Newman
Miss Ruby Gaines.
Contralto solo .... Selected
Mrs. Charles H. McIntire.
Monolog:
a—"School Days" .... Lincoln
b—"A Boston Ballad" ......Unknown
Miss Arville Piggott.
Violin solo .... Selected
Mr. Arville Piggott.
Violin solo .... Selected
Mr. Alfred S. Levi.
Comedy in one act—"Madam DePortment's School," Winkinson.
Characters:
Madame DePortment,
Miss Elizabeth Kronitz of West Virginia.
Mabel Frolics
Miss Vesta Van Brunt of South Dakota,
Gertrude Smiles,
Miss Arville Piggott of Massachusetts,
May Frisky,
Miss Dorrell Fuller of Texas
Jennie Slow,
Miss Ruby Gaines of Tennessee
Bridget, a servant,
Miss Mabelle Thayer of Massachusetts.

NOTICE

Mrs. A. F. Webber, 81 Merrimack st., wishes to announce to her many patrons that she will close her Hair Dressing Parlors on Thursday afternoons at 12.30 until further notice.

WALTER E. GUYETTE . . . AUCTIONEER

Office, Rooms 77-78 Central Block. Tel. 2415.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE OF A COTTAGE HOUSE AND STABLE ON MAIN STREET, IN NORTH ACTON, MASS., SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1908, AT 3 O'CLOCK P.M.

As I have moved into the city and therefore having no further use for my country home, I have instructed the auctioneer to sell by public auction this very attractive cottage house, stable of two stalls, and carriage room, and about one-quarter of an acre of land, more or less, situated on Main street, the same being the direct road to the well-known Nagog lake, where a number of people living in Lowell, Boston and other cities stay in summer. It comprises seven large and airy rooms, well lighted; steam heat in all the rooms, and a very fine cellar together with an extra good stable and one-quarter of an acre of land, more or less. This property is within plain view of, and only two minutes' walk of the railroad station, post office, etc. If you are looking for a little home in the village where it requires but very little ready money to buy, be sure to attend this sale. It is just what you want.

Terms are: $100 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms made known at the sale.

Immediately after the sale of the real estate, I will sell the contents of the same, including some fine furniture, consisting of carpets, commodes, rugs, pictures, china ware, etc.; also lot of stable effects. Terms of personal property, cash.

By order of MRS. LOTTIE B. HARRIS.

T. H. ELLIOTT - - Real Estate

C. E. Spalding, Auctioneer

Offices, 64 Central Street, Rooms 2 and 3.

ABSOLUTE SALE OF SWANN PROPERTY, 97 FREMONT STREET, AT PUBLIC AUCTION, PROPERTY CONSISTING OF MODERN TWO-STORY RESIDENCE AND STABLE.

Saturday, May 9th, at 4 P. M.

The above property is situated on one of the best residential streets in Centralville, within 15 minutes' walk of Merrimack square and two minutes from Christian Hill electrics. It has a frontage of 45 feet, and a depth of [illegible] feet, containing [illegible] square feet. The house is square, colonial style and has a first-class Monson slate roof. There are eight excellent, square rooms, besides pantry and laundry; every room in the house is light and pleasant. The property is equipped with bath, hot water, etc. The house is also equipped and ready for occupancy as a two-tenement house, if so desired, there being four rooms on the first floor and four on the second. In the rear of the house is an excellent stable, provided with two stalls, and good carriage room. There is also a small shed between the house and stable, convenient for storage. The house is exceptionally well laid out, and of unusually fine construction. The buildings are all in fundamentally first-class shape, outside paint alone excepted.

This property is offered at absolute sale, solely owing to the fact that the owner has left Lowell permanently. The house will be open for inspection all day previous to the day of sale. A generous mortgage can remain at 5 per cent.

Terms: $300 to be paid to auctioneer as soon as struck off.

MARY E. SWANN.

GREAT FIRE SALE

—AT—

THE NEW IDEA SHOE CO.

119-121 Merrimack Street

40,000 PAIRS OF SHOES Saved from the big Portland Fire; wholesale stock of A. F. COX CO., one of the largest jobbing houses in New England, secured at auction at a fraction of its cost. ON SALE THURSDAY MORNING AT THE NEW IDEA SHOE CO., 119-121 Merrimack Street, offering the public

Shoes, Oxfords, Ties, Slippers, Sandals, etc.

At such ridiculous prices that the whole family can be supplied with footwear at a very low cost. For years no such an opportunity has ever been offered the public of Lowell. Prices that cannot fail to tempt shrewd buyers will be offered. We limit quantities to prevent dealers from stocking up at our fire sale prices.

NEW IDEA SHOE CO., 119-121 Merrimack St.

THE LUNCH CARTS

Aldermen Give Permits to Occupy Public Streets

At a regular meeting of the board of aldermen held last night the night lunch carts that had been ordered from the streets by the superintendent of police were licensed and were doing business at the old stands before midnight. Never did the frankfort or the hamburger smell sweeter or taste better and the return of the night lunch was hailed with joy.

After receiving their licenses at the hands of the board of aldermen at the rate of $50 per copy the owners of the carts appeared before the board of police and procured common victualler's licenses. This, however, was on their part a matter of courtesy and not of right.

The new law that gave to the board of aldermen the right to govern the lunch cart license taking it entirely out of the hands of the police, states distinctly that no other license than that granted by the board of aldermen is necessary for the operation of the lunch cart in the public streets and City Solicitor Hill says that goes.

The board drew 20 jurors for the sitting of the superior criminal court that comes in at Cambridge, May 16.

Chairman Read called the board to order at 8.20. A raft of recommendations by the street and sewer committees was adopted.

The applications of the lunch cart men for licenses were taken up. Martin Mack made two applications, one for a stand at the corner of Market and Central streets and another at the corner of Central and Green streets. John Burns made application for a stand in Paige street, Morris W. Mulcahy for a license at Central and Jackson streets and John Mack for a license at Jackson and Thorndike streets. All of the applications were referred to the committee on licenses.

A recess was taken for the purpose of giving the committee on licenses, Aldermen Bailey and Comerford, time and opportunity to make recommendations.

The committee met in the mayor's reception room and recommended that all licenses with one exception, be granted and the recommendation was voted unanimously. The one exception was John Mack's license. It was objected to by Thomas Henderson who said he had paid $600 for a lunch cart and had leased land from the Boston & Maine railroad which he intended to occupy. He leased the land, he said, believing that the lunch carts had been driven from the public streets "for keeps" and inasmuch as the land which he leased is within a few feet of the spot where Mr. Mack's lunch cart has stood for a year or more, he would object and believed that the committee should consider his investment. The committee voted to give a hearing on the Mack petition. Alderman Bailey was for giving John Mack his license along with the rest. He could not see why the committee should consider any speculation on the part of a man who had leased land and bought a cart, that was none of the committee's affair. He thought John Mack was there first, he said, and a investment was to be considered one man's investment was as good as another's. Mr. Bailey had a good argument but in order that all of the licenses would not be held up he consented to a hearing on the John Mack license.

Chief Hosmer of the fire department asked for an additional appropriation of $500 for underground wires. This was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Charles H. McIntyre petitioned to move a building from Westford street to Princeton street, and a hearing was voted.

The following jurors were drawn by Alderman Cheney:

John D. Turner, 42 Columbus avenue, machinist.

Alcide A. Parent, 67 Varney street, clerk.

James G. Marshall, 1067 Gorham street, clerk.

Arthur E. Hatch, 434 Westford street, clerk.

Arthur Lavoie, 1 Regina place, grocer.

Charles E. Tilton, 103 South Walker street, compositor.

Alexis D. Sargent, 29 Hanks street, clerk.

Merrill Peltier, 150 Avon street, confectioner.

Arthur J. Cummiskey, 167 Walker street.

Thomas F. Fee, 198 Concord street, tailor.

Patrick F. Nestor, 3 Aldrich street, janitor.

Martin O'Meara, rear of 55 Cedar street, dealer.

William H. Walsh, 89 Congress street, dyer.

Michael Donoghue, 4 Hazeltine street, machinist.

Arthur C. Grimwood, 197 Appleton street, clerk.

Herbert A. Wright, 83 Willie street, clerk.

Charles L. Blake, 29 Anne street, engraver.

William D. Brown, 150 Third street, real estate.

William Calderwood, 434 High street, cigars and tobacco.

John F. Allen, 9 Whiting street, bootfixer.

George Fortin was confirmed as a surveyor of lumber.

The recommendations of the street committee as recently published in The Sun were adopted.

The recommendation that an appropriation of $12,000 for macadamizing Harvard, Royal and Smith streets and altering the East Merrimack street bridge, was adopted.

That a sewer be laid in Chelmsford street, Stevens street and Belle avenue at a cost of $3000 was voted.

The board voted an appropriation of $150 for the rental of a place in Railroad street for the sealer of weights and measures.

Merrimack street; Philip F. Mooney, 691 Gorham street; S. Heroux, 113 Moody street; Annie L. Dillon, 125 Andrews street; Christina Hoey, 52 South Whipple street; Alphonse Champagne, 665 Merrimack street; William F. Sadlier, 861 Central street; Bert Grew & Co., between 590 and 596 Merrimack street; George C. Dion; Moulton avenue; Clara Jane Wood, 109 Andrews street; Stephen Bangos & Co., 450 Market street; C. E. Bodkin, 70 Chelmsford street; Annie M. Corrigan, 57 East Merrimack street; Hermidas Arvasais, 94-96 John street; George E. Desilets, 127 Paige street; Edwin S. Butterfield, 8 Prince street; Alvah S. Jones, 21-22 Webster street; Wright Whitely, 730 Lawrence street; Agnes S. Beggs, 219 Wilder street; Exilde Leger, 26 Race street; Mrs. Annie McLean, 31 Agawam street; Arsene Roy, 1 and 2 City Hall avenue; Panagiotes Artikas, 232 Market street; Annie Chapman, 242-244 Moody street; Constantine Varoutsis, 9 Hanover street; Martin T. Mack, corner of Central and Green streets; Martin T. Mack, corner of Central and Market streets; John F. Burns, corner of Paige and Bridge streets.

Hawker and peddler: William Tattersall, 53 Wamesit street; John J. Anson, 12 Barlington street; S. W. Stratos, 69 Prince street; Haralvios Austor, 8 Cummiskey's alley.

Billiard, pool and bowling—John Notine, 25 Cabot street; Stephen Bangos, 450 Market street; James McLaughlin, 65-65 East Merrimack street.

Hackney coach—Orthella P. Davis, 32 Church street; Leighton Gendron, 11 Burns street.

Intelligence office—William E. Leinbas, 8 Hildreth building; Ida Hutchinson 231 Gorham street.

Junk collector—Owen McMahon, 262 Lawrence street; Lewis S. Smith, 86 Lincoln street.

Job wagon—Angelo Dagras, 161 Market street.

Express—Omer Bernard, 611 Market street; E. K. McGovern, two teams, Read and Second streets; American Express Co., 11 teams, Lowell, Mass.; Adelard Berard, 577 Middlesex street; Nilker Richardson, East Chelmsford.

Fish carts—John Holland, 152 Jewett street.

Junk dealers—Samuel Cohen, Howard street, Leightman and Blank, 115 Broadway; David J. Ziskind, 237 Howard street; Alexander Perkins, 138 Howard street; John Mayo, 36 Coolidge street, The E. Buxton & Son Co., Tanner street; Thomas McEvoy, 242 Jackson street; John A. Smith, rear of 474 Merrimack street; A. J. Harris, 391 Schol street.

Surrendered and cancelled—Express licenses of Peter Stanhope, 1 Queen street; fish cart, E. F. Horn, 14 Richmond avenue.

Leave to withdraw common victualler, James G. Manis, 10 Lewis street; Martin T. Mack, corner of Dutton and Merrimack streets.

Druggists as sixth class to sell intoxicating liquors—Joseph M. Cobe of Swann & Cobe, 1 Concord and 51 Andover streets; Levi T. Stearns of G. C. Brock & Co., 276-278 Chelmsford street; Austin A. Frye of Frye & Crawford, 474-478 Merrimack street and 5 Crawford place.

Seventh class, paints and chemicals—W. T. S. Bartlett, 653-659 Merrimack street.

Patrick J. Conroy was promoted from the reserve to the regular force.

POLICE BOARD MET

Continued.

Sons Co. in Tanner St. said that his business was practically confined to trade with wholesale dealers. He said his purpose in responding to the invitation was to inquire if the board had any authority to make him report what he purchased from retail dealers. He was informed that it was not necessary for him to report what he purchased from the wholesale dealers, but that it was necessary to do so when he bought from collectors.

David Ziskind said he did not buy much from the junk collectors the greater part of his business being confined to trade with wholesale dealers.

M. Cohen, one of the oldest Hebrews in the city when years of residence are considered, thought he would get away with a voluminous flow of words, but his long story got him into trouble and his application for a renewal of license was held up.

He said that he was willing to sign a report every day, but understood but little English. He also intimated that his books were not kept in English, which is a violation of the law covering junk dealers.

Supt. Moffatt informed the board that he would advise that Mr. Cohen be refused a license if he did not keep his books in English. He said that the books had to be kept in English if a license was to be issued.

Mr. Cohen said he could not afford to engage a typewriter.

"The Hebrew nation does not come in here to do business in its own way," said Chairman Stearns. "There are certain things that you must do under the United States law. You must not hem nor haw about hard times. We are all in the same boat. You must find ways and means to keep the books in English."

Mr. Cohen said he was too old to go to school and learn English.

After some further conversation it was decided to lay Mr. Cohen's application for renewal on the table.

PARK HOTEL HEARING.

The next matter taken up was the petition of Gardner W. Pearson, who in a letter addressed to the board prayed that the matter of granting an innholder's license at the Park hotel, formerly the Savoy hotel, be reconsidered as it appeared to him that there was unjust discrimination.

Lawyer Pearson explained that the letter spoke for itself. He said: "I do not know what action the board has taken on the application of Mr. King. I appear here representing myself as a property owner and I do not know as I can say any more than is in the letter. I do not believe that any complaints have been made against the place or Mr. King. A first and fourth class license has been granted to Mr. King and I take it that there is no objection to him. The building is fitted up as well if not better than any other hotel in the city."

Mr. Stearns: "The board thought it wise to hold a public hearing on this matter and for this reason I so notified you. The board thought that there might be some further information regarding the desire of the petitioner and the management of the hotel which it does not now possess."

Mr. Pearson: "I consider myself a rather heavy taxpayer and pay taxes on $32,000 on the property in question. I have gone to a considerable expense in fitting out the place. There are about twelve bedrooms and eight or ten other rooms, some of which would be used for bedrooms or dining-rooms."

John C. King, to whom was granted a first and fourth class license, said he had been in the place for one year and no complaints had been made.

"I have an important statement to make," said Commissioner Boulger. "I voted against the granting of an innholder's license for more than one reason. One reason is this: that Mr. King told me, himself, that he did not want a hotel license at the present time."

"At the time the first application was made," said Mr. King, "I was given to understand that a license would be granted the Merrimac House and that if that place got a license an innholder's license would not be very good for me."

"If the Merrimac House gets a license now, do you want an innholder's license?" asked Mr. Hanson.

"Yes, I do."

"My statement still holds," said Mr. Boulger.

"Every business man has a right to change his mind," said Mr. King. "The wise men change with conditions."

This ended the hearing on the petition and action was deferred.

VICTUALLERS' LICENSES.

Alphonse Champagne applied for a renewal of a common victualler's license. He conducts a lunch room at 665 Merrimack street and there was some remonstrance. Lawyer J. Joseph Hennessy said that he appeared for Eudore Croteau, who said he purchased a restaurant and good will of Mr. Champagne's brother at the corner of Moody and Cabot streets and paid $250 for the same, Champagne's brother stating that he would not open another place within a quarter of a mile of the old stand. Mr. Hennessy said that his client was of the opinion that the business, which is now in Mr. Champagne's name, is being conducted by the brother who sold the restaurant to Mr. Croteau. After a delay of about twenty minutes the objection was withdrawn and a renewal was granted Mr. Champagne.

LUNCH CART LICENSES.

A number of common victualler licenses to lunch carts which were on the table were favorably acted upon. Supt. Moffatt stated that under the new law the board of aldermen granted the locations and that locations had been favorably acted upon with but one exception by the board of aldermen and the police board granted the common victuallers' licenses.

MINOR LICENSES GRANTED.

The following licenses were acted on as [illegible]:

[illegible] Lodia E. Salmon, 42 [illegible] Edward R. Tyrell, 87 Mammoth [illegible]; Jas. Hawley, 1 Jewett street; Frank P. Riley, 502 Central street; [illegible], 62 Cabot street; Alma [illegible], 25 Mammoth road; J. H. Barrett, 18 Suffolk street, Stamatios Megas [illegible], 236 Market street, Mrs. Geo. Starr, 111 High street; Thomas Buckley, 16 Tyler street; Giraked Arakian, 355 Central street; Joseph L'Heureux, 543

BELMONT'S HORSE

WON THE TWO THOUSAND GUINEA STAKES.

LONDON, May 6.—The two thousand guinea stakes for colts and fillies, foaled in 1905, was run at Newmarket today and won by August Belmont's Norman III by Octagon out of Nineveh.

A. F. Bassett's Sir Archibald was second and W. Hall Walker's White Eagle was third. Seventeen horses ran.

LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Lucy H. Grady of Cambridge, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Martin J. Grady, now of Washington, District of Columbia, at Boston, in County of Suffolk, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1891, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Martin J., lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Boston, aforesaid; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Martin J., being wholly regardless of the same, at Boston, on or about the 18th day of January, A. D. 1904, utterly deserted your libellant and said utter desertion has continued for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Martin J.

Dated this 18th day of October A. D. 1907.

LUCY H. GRADY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, April 18, A. D. 1908.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph N. Seay to us, dated May 1, 1906, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, book 355, page 575, and for breach of the conditions therein contained, we will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, May 28, 1908, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: A certain lot of land on Stedman street in Chelmsford, in said county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone bound on said Stedman street at the corner of an old road, running southwesterly from said Stedman street; thence south 79 deg. west, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound on said road; thence south 41 deg. east, five hundred and thirty feet to a stone bound at land of one Spalding; thence north 68 deg. east, three hundred and eighty-one feet to a stone bound at Stedman street; thence northeasterly on Stedman street, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound at the point of beginning. Containing four acres more or less.

Terms made known at time of sale.

JOHN ALTON,
Her
MARY X ALTON,
Mark
Mortgagees.

Witness, John J. Hogan.

BILLERICA NEWS

Tree Warden Dolan on Deck

THE BROWN TAILS STILL EXIST

In Spite of Extermination Controversies

Tree Warden Dolan was present at the meeting of the board of selectmen held last night, and asked the members if they would approve all reasonable and current bills for labor and supplies used by him in the performance of the work of exterminating the brown-tail and gypsy moths. Selectman Mahoney stated that he would approve any and all bills, but the other two members of the board refused to commit themselves.

The selectmen instructed the regular police officers, Martin Conway and Everett W. Livingston, with reference to the territory which they are to cover in addition to their police duty in their respective precincts.

The following jurors were drawn to serve as traverse jurors at the next term of the superior court: Francis W. Cowdrey, Edward F. Dickinson and Coburn S. Smith.

Geo. H. Conley started a crew of men at work yesterday morning on the moth destroying trade, confining his operations, it is laid, to the infested section of West Billerica. Tree Warden Dolan had his old gang laboring in the district they have been covering for the past several days.

The degree staff of Billerica grange held a successful dance at Smith's hall, Jones' corner, last night. Those in charge were Mrs. Sarah Murphy and Mrs. Fostina Andrews.

EX-MGR. LAKE

Gone to San Francisco for Ball Players

Fred Lake, former manager of the Lowell baseball team, is now in San Francisco as a representative of the Boston American club. Lake went to the coast to secure, if possible, the signature of Henderson, the crack player of that section, to a Boston American League club contract. The latest report is that Lake has so far failed in his mission but he has hopes that he will succeed in getting his man before he returns.

FAIRBANKS MEN

WILL SEND CONTESTING DELEGATION TO CONVENTION.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 6.—The Fairbanks wing of the republican party in the eleventh district held a split convention in Louisville last night and a contesting delegation to the state convention was named.

TO LET

TO LET—By day, week or season, 6, 5 and 3-room houses at south-end, Salisbury beach. Good location, water and gas in houses. Rent cheap. Apply R. C. Maines, 72 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—5-room ten. on Chelmsford st. for $10 a month. 7-room ten. on Grove st. $16 a month. 7-room ten. on Gibson st. $12 a month. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—If you are looking for a clean, tidy tenement of from three of six rooms at a moderate rent, in Centralville, Highlands or near the depot, call on us. We can suit you. Thos. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—To a small American family, a very desirable five-room tenement in thorough repair. Sunny, excellent car service, near stores, schools, churches, etc. No. 176 Pleasant st., Dracut Navy Yard, opposite post office. Price $8 per month. References required. Apply 275 Westford st., Lowell.

TO LET—Modern flat of five rooms with bath, hot water, set tubs and fine yard, centrally located. $15 per month. Thos. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

TO LET—Tenement of 8 rooms with modern improvements at 333 Riverside st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—A tenement of four rooms, 10 Wright st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—6-room tenement with bath, hot and cold water, etc., on Mt. Washington st. Inquire at 25 Varney st.

TO LET—Five rooms, pantry, bath, at 9-11 Barclay st., $11, $12. Apply to The Philips & Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TO LET—Desirable tenement, 37 South Loring st., 6 rooms, modern improvements, moderate rent. Inquire 17 Nicollet street.

SUITE FRONT OFFICES. Light, cheerful and airy. Associate building. Overlooking city hall square. Elevator service. Exceptionally good opening for live business.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board. 194 Perry st.

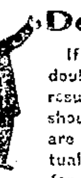
BOARD AND ROOMS—Newly furnished rooms with table board. Apply Mrs. A. Brennan, 10 John st.

TO LET

At 9 Marsh street a flat of five rooms, with pantry and back kitchen, furnace heat. Apply to D. S. O'Brien, Merrimack Clothing Co.

RUMMAGE SALE

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY OF THIS WEEK. COR. CENTRAL AND CHARLES STREETS.



Don't Be Deceived

If you have tried other papers of doubtful circulation and failed to get results, that is no reason why you should condemn all newspapers. There are some honest newspapers with actual bona fide circulations. THE SUN, for instance, now prints over 16,000 copies daily. Is it any wonder SUN advertisers get quick results?

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A six feet can milkman's ice chest. Inquire at 64 Railroad st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One National cash register, almost new. Max Carp & Co., 64 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—8 feet silent salesman show case, all plate glass, Joslyn make, also two plate glass mirrors, 21x60, fine condition. The Pinault Co., 43 Central st., cor. Middle.

FOR SALE—Set of gun metal store and window fixtures, suitable for hats, clothing and gent's furnishings. The Pinault Co., 43 Central st., cor. Middle.

FOR SALE—New bedstead, spring and mattress, kitchen table, kitchen stove, baby carriage with shade, cost $15.50, take $5.50. Apply 1 Conlon's court, Fayette st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Furniture for light housekeeping, also cook stove, at the Wentworth block. Inquire at room 9.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house. Will sell at a great sacrifice, owner leaving city. Inquire 68 East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Square piano, also some very fine oil paintings. If sold at once will sell reasonable. Parties leaving city. Inquire 11 Lane st.

LOST—Lady's gold watch and fob chain, either in St. Joseph's church or Merrimack sq. by way of Lee and John sts., or on Varnum ave. car to Starbird st. Reward at J. E. Burbank's, 115 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Four good big work horses, also wagon and harnesses, must be sold at once. 350 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—If you are going to buy a horse call at rear 56 Franklin st. and get one as represented or your money refunded.

FOR SALE—Dahlia roots that will grow; all colors. Call G. F. Cutler, North Chelmsford, Mass.

FOR SALE—Just arrived, another lot of acclimated horses, one pair weighing 2850 lbs., right out of hard work; one gray horse, 1200 lbs., seven years old and sound, been used in beer wagon in city that has gone no-license; seven others, drivers and business horses. Must be sold this week to make room for another load. Cows taken in exchange. Rear 55 Franklin st.

FOR SALE—Gasoline launch cheap, in good running order. Call evenings, 33 Beaver st.

SINGLE COMB White Leghorns, money back for all unfertile eggs. These are nice ones, 50c for 13 eggs; also a few birds. Robert Scott, 102 Epping st., Wigginville.

FOR SALE—A go-cart with leather hood, at a big bargain. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—First class meat refrigerator of the latest design with glass front, almost new, will sell on easy terms. Inquire at 42 Hildreth Bldg. or telephone 1588.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced cook, willing to go to the seashore. Inquire Mrs. George C. Dempsey, 781 Andover st.

WANTED—Housework, neat competent girl, would like country place, $2. Employers call 231 Gorham st.

WANTED—An experienced kitchen girl. Apply 211 Appleton st.

WANTED—Niggerhead operators on McKay work. Apply Stover & Bean's, Thorndike st.

AGENTS for kerosene, incandescent mantle lamp. Twelve times cheaper than gas, seven times cheaper than ordinary kerosene lamp. Continental Co., 355 Broadway, New York.

WANTED—An experienced chambermaid who can do table work. Apply at American house.

UNCLE SAM wants 10,000 railway mail clerks, mail carriers, clerks immediately. Salary $1200. Rapid advancement. Examinations here soon. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—50 school boys and girls. Call at 200 Dutton st. between 4 and 5 o'clock p. m.

WANTED—A reliable man in Lowell to sell our fast selling specialty, easy to earn over $30 a week. None but those who mean business, need apply. L. F. Loiselle, 303 The Beacon, Manchester, N. H.

WANTED—A few ladies of business ability for agents and managers. Commission salary and expenses to competent people. Apply from 12 to 6 p. m. to Miss Masters, 116 Appleton st.

WANTED—Boy with some experience on soda fountain. Call 32 Andover st.

WANTED—Middle aged lady for general housework and care for child six years old, country woman preferred. Address H. W. Marshall, Hudson, N. H., R. F. D. No. 1.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A Boston & Maine trip book. Reward for return to H. O'Brien, Richardson Hotel.

LOST—Pocketbook containing sum of money, Apr. 30, between Gershom ave. and Ford street by way of Moody st. 116 Gershom ave. Reward.

LOST—Black silk fob with initials F. P. O. on face of charm. Liberal reward for return. Notify P. P. O., Box 1239, Lowell.

LOST—Monday evening, April 27, amethyst rosary beads, gold chained. Owner's name engraved on cross, between St. Peter's church and Pollard's store. Reward if returned to 21 Pearl st.

LOST—Black and tan hound pup. Reward if returned to R. R. Armitstead, 58 Mammoth Road.

FOUND—Purse of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. 427 Worthen st.

LOST—A pair of ladies shoes at Dows' drug store, Saturday afternoon. Finder return to M. Burns, 30 Marion st.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 63 leading cities. Tolman, room 76, Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

Money on Credit

Without security, to salaried people, merchants and teamsters. Best terms obtainable.

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Hours, 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.; Monday and Saturday till 9 p. m.

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We don't claim that our money is any better than the other fellow's, but we do claim that our rates and service are the very best to be had, and that is what concerns you most if you think of borrowing.

If you will call, write or 'phone No. 2434 we will furnish you with full particulars.

No charge of any kind unless loan is made.

American Loan Co

Room 10, 45 Merrimack St.

Open Evenings.

MISCELLANEOUS

STOVES STORED for the season. Called for and returned, $2. W. M. Tupin & Co., Carpet Cleansing Works, 11 Hale st. Tel. 2274-1.

QUINCY HOUSE—The best house in the city for meals and rooms. Board by the day or week. Gents, $2.50; ladies, $2 per week. Everything clean and very neat. Hot and cold baths, gas and electric lights.

EXCELLENT PASTURAGE for horses and colts, with abundant supply of water and shelter with daily attendance on line of Nashua & Lowell electric railway, eight miles from Lowell. Season terms, $15. Apply to S. A. Greeley, R. F. D. No. 3, Nashua, N. H. Telephone 553-12.

M. GOLDSTEIN & CO., 168 Chelmsford st., dealers in wall papers. Rooms papered for $2; also whitewashing and painting. Estimates given large and small jobs. Work guaranteed. Tel. 1118-12.

CLIPPERS sharpened, saw filing, key fitting and badges made to order at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

JOHN J. HAYDEN, whitewashing and paper hanging. 23 Cady st.

STORAGE of all kinds, separate rooms $1 to $3 a month, according to size. Tel. 914. John B. Sabre, 255 Hildreth st.

HUGH McGROGAN, piano and furniture mover, in or out of town. 53 Chestnut st. Tel 2312-1.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

WANTED—Pick up your old gold and silver and turn it into cash. Mellen, 421 Central st., cor. Charles.

LIMBURG chimney expert. Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Telephone 915.

MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 415 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination, used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Reliable hustler wants permanent position as teamster in city, two years' experience. Call at 6 p. m., 256 Salem st.

WANTED—A good reliable woman would like housecleaning by the day or week. Address 35 Newhall st.

SITUATION WANTED by middle aged lady washing or house cleaning by the day or hour. Inquire rear 357 Lakeview ave.

FOUND

At 37 West Third street: Iron bed for $1.75; iron bed, spring and mattress, $4.25, wood bed, spring and mattress, $5.75; bureaus, no mirrors, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50, bureaus with mirrors, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00; commodes, 60c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50; chamber suits as low as $6.00; lounge, $2.00. These goods look nearly as well as new. If you want something a little better we have got the goods at 356 and 358 Bridge and 37 West Third Streets.

O. F. PRENTISS

SPECIAL NOTICES

RHEUMATISM cured or money refunded, roots, herbs and barks. Write A. L., Sun Office.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened up to date at Harry Gonzales, the cutler, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—The most wonderful discovery for the treatment of rupture known to science. Purely mechanical. Expert fitters of trusses, abdominal belts, and flat foot supports. Frye & Crawford Drug Co., 474 Merrimack st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—2-ten. house near Broadway. Always rented. 5 rooms and bath to each ten. $2800. Eugene G. Russell 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—8-room house with bath and stable near Fremont st., in Centralville, 1 min. to cars. $2000. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—New double house near Marlborough street. Just ready for occupancy. 8 rooms to each ten. Baths, set tubs, laundries, pantries, cemented cellar, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, etc. Rents for $676 a year. Price $6500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—8-room house near Eighth st. in Centralville. Bath and cemented cellar. Excellent condition. $1700. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—2-ten. house near Butterfield st. 6 and 5 rooms. 3000 feet of land. Big veranda. Set tubs, laundry, steam heat. Cemented cellar, hardwood floors. $3500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—Near Gorham st., two 8-room houses with all improvements, large lot of land. Price $1600 each. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—In Pawtucketville, near cars, nice six-acre place, lots of fruit, good buildings. Price to suit you. G. L. Hubbard, Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, good cottage house, in good repair, good sized lot of land. Price $1150. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—Near Pawtucket bridge, 6-room cottage house, large lot of land, same fruit. Price $1550. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room cottage in Pawtucketville, in first class condition, excellent location, will sell cheap, as I am leaving state. Terms easy. George Davis, 51 Starbird street, Pawtucketville.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house with bath and set tubs, on Florence ave. Price $2400. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house on Seventh st., 7 rooms in each tenement, with barn. Price $4200. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house near Sacred Heart church. Built 3 years, hot and cold water. Price $3500. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—9-room house, all modern, and stable, in the Highlands, $3400. 7-room house in Middlesex Village, $1400. 9-room house, all modern, with stable and 20,000 ft. of land, $3500. 7-acre place in Chelmsford Centre, $3500. 30-acre farm with 150 apple trees on it, $1600. J. W. Bruce & Co., 188 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—Nice 8-room house, hot and cold water and bath with two acres of land; 15 minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—A fine running Rambler runabout automobile. In best of repair. Will sell this cheap as I have no use for it. $250. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

COTTAGES—2 tenements, blocks and building lots, centre and outskirts of city; every price under value; some easy term bargains. M. J. Sharkey, Insurance and Real Estate, Chalifoux Bldg., 23 Central st. Tel. 1885-1.

WANTED

WANTED—Single or double house on Butterfield, Varney or Cross sts., or nearby section. State directly particulars and lowest price. Cash Customer, Sun Office.

TO ESTATE AGENTS and others: Painter and paperhanger wants jobbing work. Reliable man. 107 Railroad st.

WANTED—I intend to locate in Lowell very shortly and will pay cash for a two-ten. house or one family house in the Highlands. Address with price and full particulars to F. H. C., this office.

WANTED—To buy strictly modern 8-room house for cash, between Branch, Gates, Chelmsford, Inland and Stevens. Geo. W. Cummings. Tel.

WANTED—Rooms papered, $1.75; rooms painted, $1.25; whitewashed, 35c. All work guaranteed. Shop address, 41 Lakeview ave., Benard & Mullin.

WANTED—Washing and house cleaning by the day or hour. Apply 123 Salem st.

WANTED—Rooms papered, $1.75; rooms painted, $1.25; whitewashed, 25c. All work guaranteed. Shop address, 41 Lakeview ave., Benard & Mullin.

WANTED—In a private sanitarium in the outskirts of the city, an aged or invalid person to board. Man nurse in attendance. Mrs. Blanchard, 688 Pleasant st., Dracut Centre. Tel.

WANTED—Old fashioned furniture, feather beds. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other buyer. Send order to F. Weimer & Co., Gen. Delivery, Lowell.

WANTED—The people to call at 187 Appleton st. for coal, coke, mill kindlings, slabs and hard wood. Griffin. Tel. 663.

Will Paper Your Room for $2.00

We will paper your room, furnishing the paper and border to match, and hang the same in a first-class manner, for $2.00. Inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc. Will cheerfully give an estimate on any work you intend to have done.

BAKER

The New Racket. Phone 1312-4.
503 MIDDLESEX STREET.

National Dye House

Harry H. Lew. Ladies' and gentlemen's clothing cleansed, dyed, pressed and repaired. 211 Central st. Tel. 2471.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THREE ARE DEAD

Much Property Damage Done by Fierce Storm

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 6.—Three persons dead, several others injured, considerable property loss and a demoralization of traffic, resulted from the storm of wind and rain which swept over southern Arkansas, western Tennessee and Mississippi. The wind razed a number of small buildings and tangled telegraph and telephone wires while the rain caused numerous washouts along the railroads, delaying traffic and causing other damage.

The greatest damage and loss of life occurred in Arkansas. At Marche, the Polish settlement was badly damaged and three persons were killed, another sustained probably fatal injuries and several were less seriously injured. Meagre reports from Conway and Faulkner counties tell of damage by the storm. Watson, Desha county, is reported practically destroyed.

In western Tennessee and Mississippi the railroads suffered the greatest damage because of washouts.

Howard's dead easy kills all bugs, 25c.

LOWELL CO-OPERATIVE BANK

The annual meeting of the shareholders of Lowell Co-operative Bank will be held Friday evening, May 15, 1908, at half past seven o'clock in room 89, Central block, 53 Central st., Lowell, Mass., for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

WILLIAM D. BROWN, Clerk.

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

Going to Make A Present Of a Range?

Well, the worst thing you can do for the new bride is to buy her any other range than the Crawford. We hear it if you don't, when they come to buy the furniture: "I got a present of a range. I wish they had asked me what kind I wanted. I wanted a Crawford so badly." Now isn't that too bad to compel her to use a range that isn't as convenient and will use more coal than a Crawford, when a Crawford, size for size, would not have cost you any more? If you don't want to ask the bride what range she wants, the safest thing to do is to buy a Crawford, for 99 times out of 100 that's what they want. And we'll agree to take it back if they want any other.

A.E. O'Heir & Co.

Agents for Crawford Range

Merrimack Sq.

FREE!

For one week only, beginning Wednesday, May 6, we will give away free with 1 box of

Dr. Brown's Healing Salve 25c

and one box of

Dr. Brown's Stomach and Nerve Tonic Tablets 25c

a beautiful Cuckoo Clock.

A good chance to get a nice present. Call and see the goods.

See our window.

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Reliable Druggists

Middlesex, Cor. Thorndike St., and Chelmsford Centre.

No One Need Have Gray Hair

Regal Hair Life

Will Restore Gray Hair to Its Youthful Color and Will Keep It That Way.

Regal Hair Life

is the most wonderful hair tonic ever offered for sale. It makes dry hair soft and glossy; stops it from falling out, and produces a new and luxuriant growth in every instance where the hair follicles have not been destroyed. Full directions for using on each bottle.

For sale by Ellingwood & Co.; also the Regal Chemical Co., Boston, Mass.

SUNDAY ASSAULT

On William St. Brought Parties to Court

THE OFFENDER FINED $12

Case Was Sequel of Wedding Festivity

The case of John Kasprszyk charged with assaulting Mrs. Kathrena Sarivienska was heard in police court this morning and occupied considerable of the court's time.

Before the testimony was offered Judge Hadley inquired if the assault took place at a wedding or a christening and was told that it was the aftermath of a wedding which took place the day before.

Kathrena Sarivienska, the complainant, said that she lives in William street and testified that last Sunday she was sitting at a window in her house, with her elbows resting on the window sill. Kasprszyk was outside smoking a pipe. He took the pipe out of his mouth and placing it against her arm inflicted a severe burn.

The complainant told her husband what the defendant had done and Mr. Sarivienska spoke to Kasprszyk, but the latter told Sarivienska that he would go in the house and "lick" him if he didn't keep his mouth shut. A few more words followed and the defendant rushed into the house and assaulted the complainant's husband. The complainant went to interfere and the defendant grabbed her by the arm, causing black and blue marks.

John Sarivienska, husband of the previous witness, said that the defendant called him a vile name and then rushed into the house and grabbed him by the throat. He also testified that when his wife went to interfere Kasprszyk assaulted her.

Several witnesses corroborated the testimony offered by the complainant and her husband.

The defendant testified that he lived in the same house with the plaintiff, 60 William street, and that last Sunday the complainant and her husband called him vile names and he went into the house and "gave it" to the husband. The wife interfered and he pushed her.

The court found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of $12.

GIRL KILLED

LITTLE ONE BACKED INTO A WAGON.

BOSTON, May 6.—While playing jump rope early last evening in front of her home, Annie Seagren, 6-year-old daughter of Carl Seagren of 10 Ray street, Roxbury, was run over by a wagon, suffering injuries from which she died a few minutes after.

Jeremiah F. Driscoll of 239 Boston street, Dorchester, the driver, was taken to station 9 after the accident and held until a late hour when he was released by Lieut. Perry and Sergt. Hickey. The horse and wagon belonged to Moore & Wright, truckmen of Roxbury.

The little girl was playing with her sister and three other little girls her own age. At the time of the accident she was holding one end of a rope and standing in the middle of the street while her playmates jumped.

From what the police were able to learn from witnesses, it appears that the horse had passed the Seagren girl when, at a request from her playmates, she started to move farther out into the street and backed directly into the wagon.

Howard's dead easy kills roaches, 25c.

LICENSE MONEY

THE CITY TREASURER HAS RECEIVED $150,287.

The amount of money taken in for liquor license at the office of the city treasurer up to the noon hour today was $150,287. There are yet eight licenses to be heard from.

CHELSEA FUND

NOW HAS PASSED THE $1500 MARK.

The contributions to the Chelsea relief fund collected at the office of the city treasurer has reached a total of $1555.50 by the assistance of the following contributors:

Employes Metropolitan Life Insurance company	$25.00
I. O. B. A. Hebrew Lodge No. 256	25.00

BILLS APPROVED.

The charity board and the water board met last night and approved bills.

HAS NOT MOVED YET.

John Stott, scaler of weights and measures, has not yet moved into the front office of the board of charities department.

LOWELL ASSURES THE NEW ENGLAND VETERAN FIREMEN OF A HEARTY WELCOME AND A JOLLY GOOD TIME IN THEIR ANNUAL MUSTER TO BE HELD IN THIS CITY AUGUST 20.

VETERAN FIREMEN

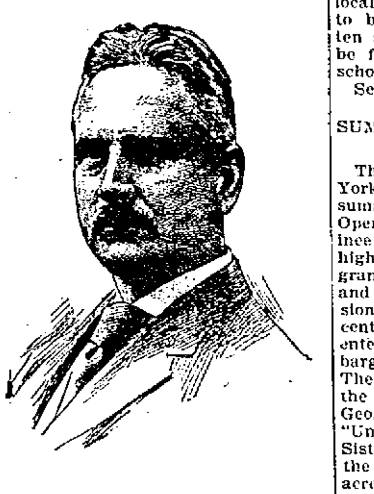
State Convention Voted to Hold Muster Here

AUGUST 20th THE DATE FIXED

List of the Delegates Who Attended

The New England States Veteran Firemen's league at its annual meeting held in this city, yesterday, voted to hold the annual muster of the league in this city, Thursday, August 20.

The following is a list of the delegates who were present: Capt. John J. Mullen, East Providence; Amos Dean, Cambridge; Capt. J. H. Miller, Capt. Benj. H. Getchell, Salem; Jeremiah F. Gallivan, Braintree; Samuel J. Carpenter, Providence; F. E. Stevens, F. W. Van Cott, Waltham; B. F. Guptill, Jamaica Plain; R. E. Wilson, Manchester, N. H.; W. A. Green, Braintree; E. A. Salmon, Lowell; John A. Anderson, Worcester; J. E. Story, Gloucester; John A. Jackson, Brockton; William H. Brown, Marblehead; George A. Sandford, Chelsea; F. T. Washburn, New Bedford; P. J. Fitzgerald, Boston; John H. Wetherbee, Hyde Park; F. E. Washburn, New Bedford; John C. Folsom, Winchendon; N. L. Wadden, Marblehead; Thomas McIntire, Somerville; William H. Hathaway, Gloucester; George H. Welfest, Revere; E. P. Walker, Somerville; John Seaver, Boston; J. M. Gold, Boston; James H. Walker, Lowell; John Hangedon, Newton; J. A. Stevens, Springfield; James L. Cushing, Chelsea; Thomas G. Gerrish, Malden; Fred P. Hunt, Cranston; J. F. Colton, Newton; James F. O'Connor, Malden; Baxter H. Studley, Pawtucket; Horner H. Hobbs, Berwick, Me.; H. Check, Pawtucket; S. R. Whitman, Cranston; Philip A. Mack, Jamaica Plain; Henry H. Wilcox, Taunton; C. E. Taylor, Knightsville, Rhode Island; Patrick Manning, Amesbury; M. F. Cavanaugh, Roxbury; Capt. C. C. Wilson, Boston; Samuel Potter, South Braintree; W. E. Mayberry, Braintree; Lucius R. Mansfield, Brookville, Mass.; William T. Crawford, Brookville; Thomas G. M. Hawkes, Chelsea; J. W. Kneeland, Roxbury; W. B. Porter, Newburyport; John Burke, Newburyport; Peter A. Wilson, Amesbury; Edward A. Weeks, Portsmouth; Horace W. Gray, Portsmouth; George H. Blatchford, Cambridge; D. L. Adamson, East Boston; J. R. Duncan, Lynn; W. A. Dickey, Newburyport; Capt. William J. Stewart, North Andover; C. R. Leavitt, Hingham; L. C. Sweatt, Hingham; C. E. Harding, Braintree; John H. Wilson, Manchester; A. M. Glines, Manchester; Charles Wetherbee, Campello; A. L. Willis, Brockton; D. J. Hurley, Lowell; Francis F. Webster, Chelsea; P. F. Manning, Jamaica Plain; A. A. Tilden, Arlington; J. B. Newhall, Concord, N. H.; A. S. Paige, Taunton; C. H. Philbrick, Lowell; Frank E. Mussey, Stoughton; Edward Cheney, Lowell; Herbert G. Lee, Pawtucket; Arthur H. Bender, Edgewood, R. I.; John A. Baker, Central Falls; Absalom A. Cloom, Stoughton; Girard P. Dadman, Lowell; John L. Bryant, New Bedford; Capt. George Hunt, Providence; Charles F. Perry, Lowell; Murthy Lyons, Lowell; Frank R. Bailey, Lowell; Walter W. Smith, Lowell; Charles H. Ray, Portland, Me.;



HUMPHREY O'SULLIVAN,

A prominent factor in bringing the convention to Lowell.

B. Frank Moody, Lynn; Thomas J. Henry, Everett; Melville Harkell, Arlington; Charles C. Rogers, Brockton; Capt. G. H. Remick, Lawrence; John France, Lawrence; John J. Driscoll, South Hadley Falls; James Mulhall, Hartford; G. A. Judd, Everett; Daniel P. Barrows, Brockton; E. S. Hosmer, Lowell.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Brewster's Millions" has caught the town. "The greatest performance I ever witnessed." That's the verdict of every man and woman who has seen the best play in the comedy line that has ever been staged. This afternoon there is a matinee performance and tonight the final production of the play will be given. Lowell will never again see "Brewster's Millions," at least not with the same presenting company as now. There are too many men and women of ability in that cast to keep it together for another season, so if you want to see a remarkable play, presented by a most remarkable cast so far as ability is concerned, see "Brewster's Millions" tonight. See Edward Abeles as Monty Brewster, and see a fellow who captures you from the start, one who you will say is "all right." Abeles is a most versatile young man and he must be to play the part. He never transgresses for one second, and throughout the entire play he is the same cool, collected fellow who has something to do and is kept busy planning how to do it. The more you see of "Brewster's Millions" the better you like it, and there are not many plays that this can be said of. The stage settings are most real and the performance is of the kind that impresses one so that it is always "kept green in his memory."

GLACIA CALLA.

The announcement that Glacia Calla would sing in New York city, May 19th, and the excellent program arranged, has proved to be tempting to the gentry who indulge in ticket speculation and efforts are being made by Mr. Grau, the director of the Glacia Calla tour, to prevent these enterprising agents from securing any seats until the public demand has been satisfied. For this reason, not only in New York, but also in this and other cities of the tour, seats and boxes will be placed at the disposal of the public far in advance and orders will be reserved by mail, telephone and telegraph in the order of their receipt, and it is to be hoped that by this precaution it will not be possible for the wily ticket speculator to gain any advantage.

Mr. Grau has also instructed all the local managers of the different theatres to be visited, not to sell more than ten seats to any one person unless it be for a society or for educational schools or teachers.

Seats go on sale today.

SUMMER VAUDEVILLE AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

The Actograph company of New York and Paris will commence the summer engagement at the Lowell Opera House next Monday with a matinee daily and will offer exceptionally high class vaudeville. The entire program will be changed every Monday and Thursday and the price of admission for all performances, five and ten cents, will give local theatre-goers an entertainment that for variety, and the bargain price, has never been equalled. The vaudeville artists to appear with the opening performances will be Geo. C. Harden and company" in "Uncle Reuben's Birthday." Walton Sisters in a clever dancing novelty, the great Raymond, comedian and acrobat, and Edmund McCauley in illustrated songs of the newest kind, together with a selection of animated views that range from comedy to drama give a variety to the whole performance that leaves the audience in a happy mood at the close of the entertainment.

ROBERT EDESON.

Direct from a record-breaking run at the Hudson theatre, in New York, Robert Edeson comes to the Opera House May 19th, when he will be presented by Henry B. Harris in "Classmates," his greatest success. "Classmates" is a play of West Point life by William C. de Mille and Margaret Turnbull, and it has been one of the few pronounced hits in New York this season. Like all of Mr. Edeson's previous vehicles it is thoroughly American and filled with clean and sparkling humor. Mr. Edeson plays Duncan Irving, a first-class cadet of North Carolina, and his support includes a company of note, among the principals being Paulina Anthony, Marjorie Wood, Maud Granger, Wallace Eddinger, Sidney Ainsworth, Frank McIntyre, Macey Harlam and Lawrence Eddiger.

HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

"In the Bishop's Carriage," by Miriam Michelson, was for a time, listed as one of the "six best sellers" in the field of fiction. In these days of many books by many authors it means much to have a work listed as being so popular as to be among the six best books of the year.

Channing Pollock dramatized the novel and has made a play which might, perhaps, rank among the "six best plays" of the year, and it is being given this week at Hathaway's theatre by a very strong collection of actors and actresses known as the Boyer players. By a strange coincidence the same play is being given at Hathaway's theatre in New Bedford this week, and it is being acclaimed there as one of the very best dramas of the year.

The presenting company in this city is headed by Miss Norma Winslow, a charming young actress who portrays the part of the girl thief, and Alphonz Ethier, an admirable leading man, who, unfortunately, is cast for an ungrateful part. Miss Winslow's study of the character of "Nance Olden" is always interesting; rather more so, perhaps, while she is still wavering between right and wrong—on the verge of becoming a hardened law breaker or of transforming herself into a noble womanhood. It is a difficult part to act and Miss Winslow most ably surmounts its difficulties. Prominent parts are given to Orson Dunn, most admirable as a character actor, and to Carroll Daly, one of the best villains it has been the privilege of this city to see in a long time. The greater part of the action is carried on by these three characters, although the full list of the company members is used. The play will be given every evening during the balance of the week, with matinees every day except Friday. Souvenirs for women patrons will be given at the matinees.

THEATRE VOYONS.

A pleasing variety ranging from a beautifully colored mystery picture to a dramatic story picture, that at times becomes almost tragic, is offered at the Theatre Voyons today. Every one of the pictures is in the out of the ordinary class and one of them, "The Land of the Gold Mines," is really a work of art. Many different colorings are used and a large number of people take part in the action of the picture. The mysterious effects are little short of marvelous, and the way the effects are secured are puzzling even to experts in photography. "The Workingman's Revenge" is a pleasing and strong dramatic subject, one that has a novel plot and it is a strikingly well acted picture. "What a Boy Can Do" is probably known to everybody but the wrinkles that this imp of tender years introduces for his own amusement and the discomfiture of the family and their visitors make the picture a long laugh. The songs are the kind that please and are finely sung.

THE PASTIME.

Today the Pastime has presented another good show for 5 cents. A show that will cost you ten cents to see in any other house, but the Pastime has reduced its price for the summer to 5 cents. Everybody knows now what a neat and comfortable motion picture house the Pastime is. You have no stairs to climb and you can see the pictures plainly from all the seats. You are are allowed to take any seat you wish and you are not charged anything extra for taking this seat. Ladies are well taken care of here and the house in every respect is orderly and quiet.

The songs this week seem to have caught the audiences so that now more than ever they enjoy the choruses. There are two singers, both of whom have had the training and experience of singing before the public for many years so that they are now the best that can be found. These singers with the exclusive picture service which the Pastime is getting are able to entertain you for an hour in the right way. The program changes again Friday.

STAR THEATRE.

The crowds are steadily on the increase here. Every seat was taken last night and everyone went away well pleased with the evening's entertainment. It is the aim of the management to put on shows that are the cleanest and best to be found anywhere, and that they are succeeding is evidenced by the large attendance.

Billy Purcell, the young colored man, is well received. His eccentric dancing is peculiar to his race and especially comical.

The singers are making good with "There's Another Picture in My Mama's Frame," sung by Baby Curry in a very pleasing manner, and "I'd Live or I'd Die For You," by J. C. Bell.

There is a change of program in pictures today and they are exceptionally fine.

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The ingenious and lissome "Willow-Shape," should be studied carefully by women of SLENDER AND MEDIUM FIGURES, while the stout woman will rejoice in the new "Flatning-Back" models in the "Self-Reducing" styles, whereby graceful Princesse effects may be attained even by fleshy women. Price-range:

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$1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00, $4.00, $5.00

And there are models to fit all figures.

$7.50 FRENCH MADE CORSETS FOR $3.00

There's nothing the matter with the goods just because we've marked them from $7.50 to $3.00, but your conclusion is liable to be there must be some "out" about them. Well, if you call last season's models an "out," you are right, but we are safe to say these three models for stout, slender and average figures will be more productive of actual wearing comfort than the newer models of today. Please note these corsets are boned throughout with whalebone and are made by the best French makers........................$3.00 A PAIR

Come and see them anyway, even if you don't buy.

THE WAIST SALE

Is losing none of its force this week, but why should it, when you think of the values we are giving. If you haven't seen or heard of them, make it your business to find out for yourself what a WAIST SALE means at the Specialty Shop. $1.50 Values for 95c. All this week.

Other bargains at $1.50, $1.95, $2.95, $3.95, $4.95 and up to $15.00.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A large and well attended meeting of the juvenile division, A. O. H., was held in Hibernian hall last evening. Pres. Cornelius Lynch was in the chair. It was voted to assemble at the hall next Sunday at 7.15 a. m. and go to St. Peter's church and receive communion with the men. Each member will wear the emblem of whatever society he belongs to. The second and fourth Saturdays of each month were selected as drill days for the boys. President Thomas Lynch made a few remarks and then introduced Lieut. Frank Kierce who is to be military instructor of the boys. Lieut. Kierce said that he would place the boys on a footing equal to any similar organization in the city. The meeting then adjourned to the first Monday in June when it is expected that the membership will be doubled as the five divisions are trying to make the juvenile the largest organization in the state.

Garfield Colony, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, held its regular meeting last evening. A committee is working on an entertainment to take place some time the last of the month.

BETSY ROSS CIRCLE.

The Betsy Ross circle, No. 24, Ladies of the G. A. R., held its regular meeting in Post 185 hall, Wyman's Exchange. There was a good attendance and much interest was manifested in the work now on hand. Reports show that the circle is in a flourishing condition.

MT. ZION LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Mt. Zion lodge, No. 75, I. O. G. T., had a large and enthusiastic attendance at its regular meeting last night in Good Templars hall, Gorham street. Three candidates were initiated and after transaction of other important business the meeting was addressed at length by the treasurer, Carl J. E. Santesson. Other members entertained with vocal and instrumental selections.

COURT ROCHAMBEAU, F. A. F.

Court Rochambeau, French American Foresters of Fall River, tendered a reception Monday night to J. H. Guillet, of this city, supreme chief foresters of the order. A dinner was served after which interesting speeches were given by Mr. Guillet and others.

Among those present was Supreme Deputy J. Z. Longpre of Court Bonaventure of New Bedford and deputy to Court Rochambeau.

SAMUEL HINES LODGE, K. OF P.

The regular meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and considerable business of importance was transacted. A complete report of the grand lodge convention was read by Representative P. C. A. E. Joy. Next Tuesday the rank of esquire will be worked by the rank staff of the lodge.

At the close of last night's meeting refreshments were served after which pitch was played. P. C. S. Scott with a score of 76 was high man. He received a valuable gold button, presented by Bennett Silverblatt of Lowell lodge, 24. P. C. A. E. Joy won the booby with a score of 22 and received a devil match box. Remarks for the good of the order were made by P. C. Joy, Clark, Gilman and Reise and Prelate Harvey.

Brother Bernard Pearson, who has been in the Lowell hospital seven weeks with blood poisoning, was present and received a hearty welcome from the members of his lodge.

Mr. Joseph A. Legare, private secretary to Congressman Butler Ames is recovering from a very serious and somewhat sudden illness. He has been for the past three weeks confined to his rooms at the Richmond hotel at Washington, suffering from a severe attack of tonsilitis complicated with brain fever. His condition at one time gave grave cause for alarm, but he is now better.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.60	5.54	7.41
6.28	7.41	6.20	7.22
6.44	7.53	7.54	8.55
6.49	7.30	8.15	8.59
7.01	8.00	8.30	9.30
7.22	8.05	10.20	10.37
7.31	8.03	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.07
b7.52	8.55	12.00	12.58
8.48	9.25	1.00	1.37
8.56	9.35	2.00	3.00
9.33	10.19	3.30	3.37
10.25	11.15	3.44	4.21
11.46	12.02	b3.51	5.10
11.08	12.20	e4.14	5.25
12.12	1.50	5.30	5.37
1.45	2.25	b5.21	6.15
2.41	3.23	6.15	6.27
3.43	4.25	b5.51	6.42
4.28	6.30	e6.14	7.30
5.23	6.15	7.20	8.08
6.23	7.05	8.30	9.05
b7.05	8.13	10.20	11.34
7.53	8.35	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.35	z7.00	8.10
8.00	8.55		
10.50	11.55	9.25	10.35
12.00	1.05	10.55	11.55
2.35	3.40	11.50	12.24
4.04	5.17	3.20	3.25
5.05	6.44	3.40	4.15
z5.25	6.44	4.59	5.50
6.18	7.48	6.02	7.18
7.04	8.06	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.37	9.35	10.51
		*11.25	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
e Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.57
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9.20	10.15	1.00	1.57
10.30	11.03	5.00	5.55
2.25	3.27	7.30	8.08
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.27	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.35	10.30	11.35

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.24	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
8.50	5.00	2.15	3.22
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.46
8.45	9.52	6.20	6.55
		8.40	9.35

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

Touring club, Mathew hall, tonight.

Petra Hela Blood Purifier the best.

A 12-pound boy has arrived at the home of George Lynch of the Y. M. C. I.

If others cannot suit you, come to us for the newest and most stylish wall papers. Come to us first. Kittredge & Co., 28 Central street.

Calumet orchestra, Mathew hall, tonight.

The Standard of Excellence

Dowd's Honest Ten Cigar

A RECORD OF 25 YEARS

Is what Petra Hela (the Great Healer) has in Lowell and its wonderful help in very many cases of Old Sores, Piles, Eczema, Pimples and Skin Diseases has made friends for it all over New England.

Petra Hela Blood Purifier and Tonic for the blood, and as a spring medicine is equally as good.

75 BOTTLE ALL DRUGGISTS

ALWAYS GET AN EARLY START

We have just got our new FLOWER SEED in. Come early and have your choice.

At Carter & Sherburne's Drug Store
In the Waiting Room.

BOARD OF TRADE

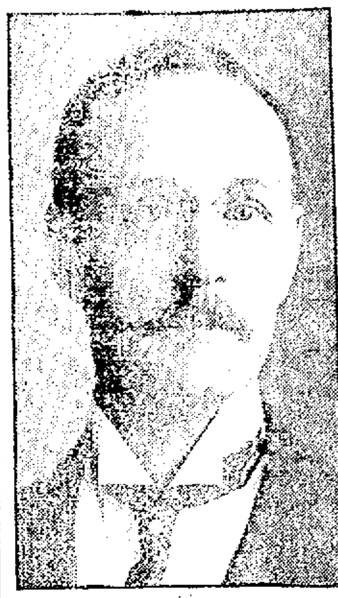
Heard Committee From Cigar Makers' Union

PLEA FOR HOME INDUSTRY

Sec'y McKenna Reports on City Beautiful

The directors of the board of trade held their regular meeting at the office of the secretary yesterday. President Henry A. Smith in the chair.

A committee from the local cigar



HENRY A. SMITH,
Board of Trade.

manufacturers consisting of James H. Buckley and W. H. Potter appeared at the meeting to ask the co-operation of the board in their effort to boom Lowell made cigars. There are only a few cigar makers employed in Lowell while in the city of Manchester with a population of 60,000, there are over 200. It was proposed to send out circulars asking Lowell cigar dealers to push Lowell made cigars, and ask the co-operation of the public. The matter was referred to a committee to arrange the details.

Mr. Buckley enumerated the names of several Lowell made cigars that are as good as any 10 cent cigar on the market which the dealers would willingly sell if trade called for them.

The banquet committee reported all bills paid and a balance left.

At the next meeting of the board a supper will be served and addresses made. E. B. Conant has consented to talk on real estate values in this city.

Secretary McKenna for the committee on city beautiful, reported that 18,000 circulars had been printed and also certificates engraved to be given out at the schools asking for contributions from the school children of the city toward erecting a monument to Abraham Lincoln at Lincoln park.

The following new members were admitted: Charles H. McIntyre, 12 Hildreth building, attorney-at-law; J. C. Manseau, haberdasher, 541 Merrimack street; Geo. Couzoules, merchant, 521 Market street; Matt. Hutchins, North Billerica, Mass.; Philip Goldman, dry goods, 149 Dutton street; John Boyd, chemist and foreman, Merrimack print works, and others.

SUGGESTIONS TO THE LOCAL CIGAR SMOKERS.

IN POLICE COURT

Prisoner Lied and Was Found Out

IT WAS HIS THIRD OFFENSE

And He Was Sent to Jail

In police court this morning a prisoner who gave his name as George Clark made an attempt to escape a large fine or sentence by claiming that it was his first offense for drunkenness.

Deputy Welch said it was Clark's second offense, but the latter insisted that it was his first. The matter was looked into and it was found that instead of being the second it was the third offense, Clark having been before the court once under the name of George Reynolds. He was sentenced to three months in jail.

Margaret E. Faucher, a second offender, was sentenced to three months in jail. Sentence was suspended and she was placed in the custody of the probation officer.

Joseph Destell, a second offender, was fined $6.

Two simple drunks were released.

Michael McGrath was arrested Sunday and when he appeared in court Monday morning the case was continued because it was thought he was a parole man from the state farm. This was not so, however, and this morning he was fined $5.

Bridget E. Dolan, a fourth offender, was sentenced to Sherborn. She entered an appeal.

Ambrose Gallagher went to the station last night to make a complaint on parties who disturb him and was arrested on the charge of drunkenness. Judge Hadley questioned him this morning and let him go.

JUST FOR THURSDAY

Your choice of any 97c lawn, batiste or tailored waist just for Thursday **2 for $1.47**

White aprons with a pocket and short strings and seconds of 25c low neck vests Thursday **10c**

Nainsook French covers, two lace insertions in front, and two rows of ribbon, compare them with any 25c cover anywhere, Thursday **15c**

Embroidery and lace trimmed petticoats, regular 98c values, Thursday **50c**

Lace or embroidery trimmed gowns, regular 69c and 98c values, Thursday **50c**

Discontinued styles of 50c gingham petticoats Thursday **29c**

49c lace trimmed drawers, damaged while in transit, Thursday **19c**

We must limit quantities on these bargains

The White Store
114-MERRIMACK ST.-116

THE CAPITALISTS

Trying to Overcome Financial Depression

TOKIO, May 6.—The amelioration of the financial depression monopolizes the attention of capitalists throughout the country. The conditions are ascribed to the adoption of government measures without consulting the capitalists.

Government bonds are below 80, the standard valuation hitherto has been 80. The financiers are conferring with the financial department with the object of restoring confidence.

A banker connected with the movement said to the Associated Press:

"Japan's finances do not contain an element injurious to the national credit. The prevalent feeling is due to ignorance of the actual state of the national treasury but our debts have matured plans, the adoption of which will certainly remove suspicion and an economic improvement will soon follow. Financiers will shortly pass a resolution which the government, I am well advised, will accept. The result of the present conference will be published in June."

SEASON OPENS

MAINE COLLEGE NINES TO CONTEST TODAY.

BRUNSWICK, Me., May 6.—The Maine intercollegiate baseball championship series of games for 1908 were inaugurated today and will continue till the first week of June. Today Bowdoin plays Colby here and Bates plays Maine at Lewiston. The first game of the Atlantic baseball league scheduled to be played in Maine is at Lewiston this afternoon between Portland and Lewiston.

COLLEGE HEADS

DISCUSS PROBLEMS OF UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 6.—Representatives of the faculties of ten New England colleges met in Providence today to discuss problems of university administration. The institutions represented are Amherst, Bowdoin, Dartmouth, Harvard, Tufts, Maine, Wesleyan, Williams, Yale and Brown and the delegates generally are the deans or assistant deans of the several colleges. The exact nature of the matters to be considered is not made but the widespread attention that has been given recently to the movement to curtail college athletics is supposed to have some place on the program for discussion.

SOMERSET INN

WELL KNOWN SUMMER RESORT WAS BURNED.

BERNARDSVILLE, N. J., May 16.—The Somerset Inn, a well known summer resort, two and a half miles from here, was burned early today. The servants' quarters and laundry building also were destroyed and the firemen had great difficulty saving eight cottages connected with the hotel. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is not yet known but the hotel property carried an insurance of $246,000.

ENGLISH TEAM

NEW YORK, May 6.—Announcement is made that the English polo team that was making arrangements to play a series of matches at Newport, Meadowbrook, Rockaway and other places in this country cannot come this year. William A. Hazard, secretary of the polo association has received word that the proposed visit of the Englishmen has been given up.

WAS SENT TO JAIL

Nap. St. Arno Got Into a Fight

Napoleon St. Arno appeared before Judge Hadley this morning with a pair of artistically decorated eyes. It seems that yesterday he drank too much and shortly after noon was near the corner of Lakeview avenue and Aiken avenue looking for fight. He chased a fellow into the wooded district off the Cumberand road and when the latter got tired running turned around and gave St. Arno all the fight he wanted. St. Arno looked as though he had tried to battle with a road roller. He was sentenced to two months in jail.

NEWS CONFIRMED

REVOLUTIONARY LEADER WAS PUT TO FLIGHT.

LIMA, Peru, May 6.—The news of the defeat of Durand, the revolutionary leader at Cerreo de Pasco and his subsequent flight has been confirmed. This means that the revolutionary movement, such as it was, haas collapsed and the people are rejoicing. The railroad line has been repaired as far as Casa Palaca and government troops are still advancing into the area where Durand's men operated for the moral effect on the population.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Cotton futures opened firm. May 8.85 bid; June —; July 9.06; Aug. 8.86; Sept. —; Oct. 8.50; Nov. —; Dec. 8.84; Jan. 8.86; Feb. —; March 8.93.

SPECIAL NOTICE

A. Smith

The well known Shoe and Furnishing Goods dealer at 483 MIDDLESEX STREET, owing to hard times, has decided to reduce the price of repairing men's and ladies' shoes. You can get the best O. K. tanned taps sewed on with the Goodyear machine for **65c**

Ladies' Taps at 50c a Pair

All work guaranteed first class, and if not satisfactory we will cheerfully do them over FREE OF CHARGE. We make a specialty of all kinds of repairing, and do the work by machinery while you wait. The lowest prices in the city are here. Bring in your old shoes and we will save you big money. Remember the place,

483 Middlesex Street

First store across the car tracks from the Depot

P. S.—We also have a beautiful line of Gents' Furnishings.

Theatre Voyons

Today
The Workingman's Revenge
The Land of the Gold Mines
Indian Bitters.
What One Boy Can Do.

"Where Is My Boy Tonight" and "My Heart Beats Alone for You" are the songs.

TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE
Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Manager

TONIGHT

Frederic Thompson presents Edward Abeles, the original New York cast.

Brewster's Millions

Exactly as presented for five weeks at the Colonial Theatre, Boston.

Prices: Mat., 25c to $1.00; Eve., 25c to $1.50. Seats on sale.

SATURDAY, MAY 9,
MAY MUSICAL FESTIVAL
Mlle. Glacia Calla
Sig. E. Castellano
M. Victor Occellier
Mlle. Inganoff
Her. Anton Hegner
Prices, 50c to $1.50. Seats on sale.

HATHAWAY'S

THIS WEEK
The Boyer Players present
IN THE BISHOP'S CARRIAGE

By Channing Pollock. A grand production by a carefully selected company. Mr. Alphonz Ethier and Miss Norma Winslow in the leading parts. Matinees at 2.30—Only Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday. Every Evening at 8.15. Popular prices.

Pianos from Grunewald's.

O'DONNELL DRY GOODS CO.

The Store For Quality and Style

A MOST
EXTRAORDINARY SALE
OPENS FRIDAY MORNING

PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE AT THE "STORE FOR QUALITY AND STYLE" FOR ONE OF THE BIGGEST BARGAIN DAY CROWDS SEEN IN A LOWELL STORE FOR A LONG TIME. WHY? HERE'S THE REASON: DURING THE PAST WEEK UPWARDS OF

$10,000 of New Clean Merchandise

WAS BOUGHT IN NEW YORK CITY AT LIBERAL DISCOUNTS FROM REGULAR PRICES. THE EXTRA SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS WILL BE—

5000 YARDS OF
Fine Embroideries Flouncings and Bandings

FOR GRADUATING GOWNS, CONFIRMATION DRESSES, CORSET COVERS, UNDERWEAR AND CHILDREN'S FROCKS

At One-Third Regular Prices

ONE HUNDRED SILK PRINCESS AND JUMPER DRESSES IN NAVY, BLACK, COPENHAGEN BLUE, BROWN, CHAMPAGNE, BLACK AND WHITE CHECKS AND STRIPES, FINE QUALITY SILK, FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

At About Half-Price

BLACK VOILE SKIRTS—NEW STYLE SHIRT WAISTS—COLORED SILK PETTICOATS, AND MILLINERY AT A DISCOUNT OF

One-Third From Regular Prices

SEE TOMORROW'S LOWELL SUN FOR PRICE QUOTATIONS

Come Friday Morning For the Best Values Offered in Ten Years

REMEMBER—THAT EVERY ARTICLE OFFERED BY US EVEN AT SALE PRICES MUST BE UP TO THE HIGH STANDARD OF QUALITY REQUIRED BY OUR STORE OR IT WILL NOT BE ADVERTISED OR PERMITTED TO ENTER OUR STOCK.

O'DONNELL DRY GOODS CO.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer

Office, Old Boston & Maine Depot. Storehouse and Commission Rooms, Green Street. Tel. 1485.

Tomorrow Afternoon, May 7th, at 1.30

I SHALL HOLD A FURNITURE SALE AT MY COMMISSION ROOMS AT THE OLD BOSTON & MAINE DEPOT, GREEN STREET.

which consists of two oak chamber sets complete, three iron beds, a very nice black walnut chamber set with hair mattress, 2 oak dining room tables, oak sideboards, dining room chairs (oak), 2 couches, 2 carpets, hall and stair carpets, 2 rugs, a very nice range with hot water front, practically new, some odd chairs, a chiffonier, lamps, lawn mowers, small cider press, refrigerator and lots of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

Special—2 upright pianos, 2 square pianos, a very nice organ, a two-seated Democrat wagon, upholstered in leather, 2 set of harness, a case of 4½ feet by 6½ feet, 8 inches deep with glass door and 75 horse shoes of different varieties. This would make a nice show for some blacksmith.

All the above goods will be on exhibition on and after Tuesday noon until time of sale. Open evenings.

Saturday, May 9, 1908, at 3 p. m.

A VERY NICE SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 3450 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 184 BALDWIN STREET, CORNER OF PERCY.

I shall offer for sale on the premises, regardless of the weather or conditions, this cosy little seven-room cottage. On the first floor there is a good sized hallway, parlor, sitting room, dining room, large kitchen, pantry and bath; on the next floor are three large, airy and well-lighted chambers. There is a good, dry cellar. The house has city water, gas in every room, and is in good condition, inside and out. The lot has large frontages on Baldwin and Percy streets, and contains about 3450 square feet. It is all fenced in. There are two pear trees, a cherry tree, a peach tree, apple tree, large grape vine, lot of raspberry bushes and some small shrubberies. Now, this a grand opportunity for someone who wants a little home where he can have a nice little garden and still be in the city, and just far enough out to have the country air. It is within two lines of electric cars, and not more than three minutes' walk to either line. Now I will guarantee to let a good, liberal mortgage remain; so when you are out for a walk, look this property up. Baldwin street runs from Middlesex to Princeton street.

Terms: $250 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

C. F. KEYES in Charge.

PASTIME THEATRE
OPP. CITY HALL. NO STAIRS TO CLIMB.
NEW SHOW TODAY. NEW MOTION PICTURES.
Summer Price 5c

Annual May Festival

In aid of the

Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children

Opens at Odd Fellows Hall, Middlesex St., May 6-9, from 6 to 11 p. m. Saturday, 2 to 11 p. m.

Wednesday, May 6—Military ball preceded by wall scaling contest for company prize, between members of local companies, M. V. M. Prize competitive drill.

Thursday, May 7—March of Nations, under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin, from 8-9 p. m., followed every 15 minutes by individual specialties.

Friday, May 8, from 8-9—Pickaninny Minstrels under direction of Mr. Fred Blunt; 40 boys, six end men, special jokes and songs. Specialties.

Saturday, 2-5 p. m., children's afternoon. Pickaninny Minstrels, and Miss Perrin's specialties. Punch and Judy, crab bag, toy table.

Saturday evening, 8-9 Picaninny Minstrels, specialties, followed by prize drill of High school cadets, and High school ball.

Good supper Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 5.30 to 7.30. Friday night specialties, fish chowder and steamed clams.

Dancing in banquet hall every night from 9 to 11.

Tickets—Season 50 cents. Single admission 25c; children 15, to be purchased at Ellingwood's or at the door.

Special events in aid of festival.

Tuesday, May 5, Associate hall, volunteer entertainment by members of Y. M. C. I., followed by dancing. Calumet orchestra. Tickets 25 cents.

Thursday, May 7—Odd fellows hall, Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's—25 cents.

Friday, Odd Fellows hall, Bridge Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's —25 cents.

STAR THEATRE
MERRIMACK ST., OPP. CITY HALL
Latest Moving Pictures
Newest Illustrated Songs
Best Vaudeville
Afternoons, 2, 3 and 4. Evenings, 7, 8 and 9.
SEATS—5 CENTS
Change of program Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

THE WEATHER
The indications are that there will be showers tonight and Thursday; fresh easterly winds.

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6 O'CLOCK

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NIGHT EDITION

FAVORS THE MERGER

Pres. Tuttle Appears Before the Railroad Committee

BOSTON, May 6.—President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine road today addressed the legislative committee on railroads at considerable length in advocacy of the proposed merger of the Boston & Maine with the New Haven system. He said it was true that a large number of owners of Boston & Maine stock believed unification in some form of the separate interests with those of others who owned New Haven stock would produce results beneficial not only to themselves, "but in like or greater degree to their customers—the general public." He said he was quite certain they believed it would result in many improvements in the joint service and that in many ways the needs of customers would be better served and commercial welfare stimulated.

No actual sale of Boston & Maine stock, he said, was contemplated but simply an exchange share for share for New Haven stock and the officers of the two properties would be practically unchanged. This exchange was prevented by act of the legislature last year. He said that the chief opposition to the merger comes from the fear that a transportation monopoly to the disadvantage of trade will result. He reviewed railroad consolidations in New England during the past forty years and said they had been the method by which New England "had been brought to her present standard of commercial supremacy."

He said an effort had been made to show that there was competition between many parts of the two systems and declared that under the law the inter-state commerce commission makes competition in rates impossible. Referring to discussion over the possible future acquisition by others of the Boston & Maine stock held by the New Haven road, he said that the rapid extension of government power over every detail of railroad affairs made their ownership "the shadow and not the substance."

"I therefore," he continued, "express with only one reservation my belief that so long as the state holds and exercises control over the railroads it is not of the slightest importance what their private ownership may be or how they are bought, sold or exchanged.

"My single reservation, and I think it has its certainties of injury beyond computation, is that of state or federal ownership of public service corporations." He recommended consolidation of the two railroads along the following lines:

"That the New Haven may lawfully hold the shares of Boston & Maine now in its possession without limitations; that it shall not secure additional shares, except in exercise of its rights as a stockholder, without specific legislative authority; that its holdings shall be recorded in its own name and no portion sold or transferred to anyone else without the consent of the railroad commission of Massachusetts after a public hearing; that the corporate officers and a majority of the directors of the Boston & Maine shall be actual residents of the states by which it is chartered and its principal offices be maintained in Boston.

WAGE INCREASE

For Members of the U. S. Army

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Sen. Warren today reported to the senate a complete agreement of the confreres on the army appropriation bill and it was adopted. It makes a flat increase of $500 a year in the pay of officers and 35 per cent. in the pay of enlisted men in the army. The bill carries $95,370,000. The additional appropriations made by the senate for incidental expenses for the quartermaster's department, construction of barracks and quarters for the field artillery for the organized militia, manufacture of arms and other items, were scaled down and $3,463,162 eliminated from the bill.

BISHOP WARREN

PRESIDED AT DELEGATE MEETING OF THE M. E. CHURCH.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 6.—The twenty-fifth delegate meeting of the M. E. church was begun here today. At the first sitting which lasted about two hours the formal ceremonies of the opening were gone through and organization was effected, leaving everything in readiness for the vast amount of business that is expected to come before the body for disposition.

Bishop Warren of Denver, Colo., called the assemblage to order. There are accredited to the conference 78 delegates who with the fraternal visitors come from 24 different countries and represent more than 3,000,000 communicants of the Methodist Episcopal denomination.

Bishop Warren made no set address, simply directing attention to ecumenical character of the church as shown in the order of devotional exercises. These were led by Bishop John H. Vincent of Indianapolis and taking part with him were representatives of the churches from Sweden, China and India. An impressive feature of the meeting was the roll call of dead bishops. Following the roll call of delegates Rev. J. H. Hingley of Minnesota, secretary of the last general conference was re-elected to that office by acclamation. Then came the adoption of the rules of order and the announcement of committees. The conference will meet daily, Sundays excepted. The afternoons will be devoted to committee meetings and the evenings are left free for the numerous entertainments and other functions that have been arranged by the local committee on hospitality.

THE PRESIDENT

HAD DISTINGUISHED PRELATES AS HIS GUESTS.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The president entertained at luncheon today Cardinal Logue, Cardinal Gibbons, Mgr. Falconio, the papal delegate, Archbishop Farley, Bishop Brown of Ireland, Bishop O'Connell, rector of the Catholic university, and Father Russell, rector of St. Patrick's church in this city.

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BETTING GOES

The Court Refuses to Interfere

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 6.—The court of appeals today refused to dissolve the injunction against the city authorities of Louisville preventing them from interfering with the betting at the present Churchill Downs meeting. The effect of the decision is to permit betting under the present pari-mutual system to continue.

LAWRENCE BOY

CRUSHED TO DEATH UNDER WHEELS OF WAGON.

LAWRENCE, May 6.—Cornelius Lyons, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Lyons of 94 Lawrence street, was killed almost instantly on Tuesday afternoon, beneath the wheels of a dump wagon at the corner of Lawrence and Chestnut streets.

The little fellow was playing with companions around the cart at the place mentioned and in some manner the horses started up suddenly, throwing the child beneath the wheels, which passed over the slight frame, crushing it fearfully with instant fatal result.

SCHOOL VACANCY

At Bartlett May Not be Filled Right Away

Principal Durgin of the state Normal school has not yet selected a principal for the Bartlett school and may not until after the summer vacation, as he can supervise matters himself for a while. It is desired by the state board as well as by the school board to get as strong a man as possible for the position in order to aid Mr. Durgin in making the Bartlett a strong practice school while at the same time keeping up its record for proficiency in every grade. Hereafter it is understood the normal school will be an open book to the teachers of Lowell.

Several local principals have been mentioned for the appointment to the Bartlett vacancy but so far as we know without their authority and certainly without any authority from Mr. Durgin.

TO WORK OVERTIME.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 6.—Joseph E. Fletcher announced this afternoon that beginning Friday his three mills at Allentown and Mapleville, R. I., and another of his mills at Plainfield, Conn., would work overtime every night, working until nine o'clock. About 1500 operatives are affected.

DEMOCRATIC LEADER DEAD.

FITCHBURG, Mass., May 6.—Dr. Herbert Lyons, a prominent physician of this city who has been a leader in democratic politics in this part of the state for many years, died of pneumonia today, aged 53 years. He leaves a widow, a daughter and a son.

MURDER MYSTERY

The Bodies of Fifteen Persons Found in Barnyard in Laporte, Ind.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 6.—Laporte today is in the throes of a murder mystery that takes rank with the notorious crimes perpetrated by Dr. Holmes of Chicago and the Bender family of Kansas.

Five bodies, some of them dismembered and the parts sewn in gunnysacks, were unearthed yesterday in "soft spots" in the barnyard of the burned Gunness house, one mile out of town.

With the four imperfectly identified bodies recovered from the ruins of the house since the fire of April 28 which led to the arrest of Ray Lamphere, carpenter, on suspicion of murdering Mrs. Belle Gunness, 44 years of age, and her daughters, Myrtle Sorenson, 11 years old; Lucy Sorenson, 9 years and their half brother, Philip Gunness, five years old. There are nine bodies to be identified.

Mrs. Gunness is believed to be the murderer of the children. One of the dead men was lured to the Gunness home by a matrimonial advertisement. Lamphere was jealous of him and in that there may be a possible solution of at least one of the crimes.

Two of Mrs. Gunness' husbands died under suspicious circumstances. The life of the first, Max Sorenson, was insured for $8500 and that of the second, Gunness, for $3500. The companies paid the money over to her.

Twice in her career fire destroyed property belonging to Mrs. Gunness and in both cases she collected insurance from the fire underwriters. Today it is even intimated that the woman herself may not be dead—that she procured a female corpse, set fire to her own house and then fled leaving the world to believe she had perished in the flames. The first body dug up was that of Andrew Helgelein, a wealthy bachelor of Aberdeen, S. D., who came here in January and disappeared about February 1.

The limbs and head had been sawed off and placed in gunnysacks which had been sewed up. The body was nude. In a second excavation a skeleton believed to be that of Jennie Olsen, an adopted daughter of Mrs. Gunness who disappeared September, 1906, was discovered.

The girl was nearly 17 years of age at the time and it was reported by Mrs. Gunness that she had gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to attend college.

Continued digging brought the searchers to more sacks which contained the dismembered body of a large man. Decomposition had reduced the body to such a state that the only features recognizable as such were a dark moustache and dark hair.

Beneath this body was another layer of earth under which were found the bodies of two children, apparently about 12 years of age. There are several more suspicious places in the grounds about the ruins and the authorities resumed the search today with the chances of finding more bodies.

There developed today the startling theory that Mrs. Gunness did not die in the fire which destroyed her home and that she is still alive and in hiding, probably in Chicago. This theory is strengthened by the fact that the head of the body of the woman found in the ruins of the Gunness home after the fire is still missing. The theory is that Mrs. Gunness substituted the remains of one of her female victims for herself and then set fire to the house in order to cover up the crime. In case it is proved that Mrs. Gunness did substitute the body of another woman for her own it is very likely that she was also guilty of the murder of her three children.

John Larson of 992 Francis Cove, Chicago, 28 years of age, a nephew of Mrs. Gunness is here trying to arrange to take four bodies found in the ruins of the fire to Chicago. The nephew made a deposition before the coroner in which he said his aunt was born in Trondhejem, Norway, where she still has a sister and brother living. Her maiden name was Bella Paulsen. She was 48 years of age and came to this country twenty-six years ago.

There is today strong suspicion that the identification of the dismembered body found yesterday as that of Andrew Helgelein was an error. A. K. Helgelein, brother of Andrew, yesterday declared himself positive that the body was that of his brother, but today says he is not so certain.

The gang of men excavating on the Gunness farm today under the direction of Sheriff Smutzer, came upon another disturbed spot within six feet of the place where yesterday four bodies were dug up and upon digging three feet down struck a wooden box which fell to pieces as the spades hit it, revealing the skeleton of a man lying face downward.

Continuing their digging at the same place the men came upon the skeletons of two more persons but there was no clothing and it was impossible to tell whether they were male or female. The ground is being still further excavated.

The body discovered in the box had been dumped in carelessly. On top of it was debris including a little tin stove, evidently a baby's plaything.

EIGHT LICENSES

Remain to be Granted by Police Board

There are eight liquor licenses that have not been granted by the police board at the present time, they being as follows:

Merrimac House, William H. Egan.

McDonald Bros., 9-11 Aiken avenue.

Edward F. Shea & Co., 73 East Merrimack street.

Frank Barnard, 357 Central street.

John Warburton & Co., Crosby street and Butler avenue.

Martin Moran & Co., 9-15 Salem street.

Daniel J. Gannon & Co., 350-352 Market street.

John P. Mahoney & Co., 62-64 Whipple street and 83-85 Swift street.

In the cases of Frank Barnard and McDonald Bros., there are no applications before the board at the present time. Mr. Barnard was informed that if he secured a location suitable to the board he would be granted a license and in the case of McDonald Bros. the board refused to consider the location at 9-11 Aiken avenue as those numbers are now occupied by a butcher shop.

The Merrimac House license is on the table pending further knowledge as to the ownership of the hotel.

In the other cases licenses will be granted as soon as the necessary ten days after application was made have expired.

The Gannon license can be granted any time after tomorrow and it is understood that Commissioners Bowles and Hanson will meet tomorrow and issue that license.

Chairman Stearns left for Washington this morning on a business trip. He expects to return home Friday.

FOUR PERISHED

In a Fire in Houston, Texas

HOUSTON, Texas, May 6.—Two women and two girls are believed to have perished today in a fire which destroyed the Shaw building, San Jacinto and Congress streets, in the heart of the business section. The loss is $50,000. Guests of the Houston hotel had narrow escapes.

SERVICE PIPES

ARE BEING PLACED IN CENTRAL STREET.

The water department is placing new service pipes in the lower part of Central street and a large portion of the business part of the street has been torn up.

GREAT AUTO RACE

Will be Pulled Off in This City July Fourth

The biggest sporting event in the history of this city and the greatest automobile race ever held in New England will be pulled off in this city July 4.

It will be a two hundred mile automobile road race over a ten mile circular course and the promoters of the affair are happy in the promise of hearty co-operation from Mayor Farnham, prominent citizens and merchants.

If the event is pulled off it will impress Lowell upon the automobile world and the race will compare, and favorably too, with the Briarcliffe races in New York.

Should the proposition be carried to a happy conclusion we would have a course here known as the Merrimack Valley circuit, a lasting race course name.

Ways and means for this great race are to be devised at a meeting to be held at the Waverly hotel tonight and to which Mayor Farnham, members of the city government, heads of departments, business men and men prominent in other walks of life have been invited.

In order to pull such an event off in the city of Lowell it is necessary that a club to affiliate with the big three A club, the American Automobile association, shall be formed here and the purpose of the promoters is to form a club to be known as the Lowell Automobile club and the big race on the glorious Fourth will be held under the auspices of the American Automobile association. This association will not sanction any race that is not carried on by an allied society of the association.

The race will be for the Butler Ames trophy, a beautiful cup from Tiffany's in New York, and the original promoter of the affair is none other than the resourceful, energetic and enthusiastic autoist, John O. Heinze of the Heinze Electrical company.

Invitations to the meeting to be held this evening read as follows:

Dear Sir:—I hereby extend to you an invitation to come to a meeting which is to be held at the Waverly House at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, May 6th, to discuss ways and means regarding the holding of a two hundred mile automobile road race over a ten mile circular course, on the 4th of July.

We wish to make this the national event in the city of Lowell, and it will be one of the largest automobile race meets which has ever been held in New England.

Several officials of the American Automobile association will be present to confer with us, and further wish to say that apparently we have the entire good will of the merchants at large and it is considered an event which will be appreciated by our entire community and I desire your hearty co-operation to make this a success.

Yours respectfully,
J. Heinze.

The arrangements for this great race as they have been mapped out in the minds of the promoters suggest a very elaborate occasion.

The course will lie over the boulevard to the Tyngsboro bridge, thence to the right over a back road leading to the Mammoth road and over the Mammoth road to a side street leading to the boulevard. It is a ten mile circuit and twenty laps will make the 200 miles.

Mr. Heinze has talked with Mayor Farnham relative to the proposition and the mayor is very enthusiastic. Mr. Heinze has called the mayor's attention to the fact that if the race was pulled off the boulevard would have to be repaired. There are a whole lot of jobs in the boulevard that will have to be dissipated, and the track will have to be oiled.

The country roads will have to be fixed up and in order to make the thing a howling success the country towns will have to lend their hearty co-operation.

The course will be patroled by the militia and there will be grand stands at points of vantage along the course. The proposition will require considerable money for a starter. Mr. Heinze in conversation with a representative of The Sun this afternoon said that it would require at least $10,000 to get the thing going right and he thinks that amount can be raised by public subscription from persons in and out of Lowell. The remuneration to the city of Lowell would be contained in the receipts for grand stands, sale booths and things of that sort.

Mr. Heinze states that such a race would bring at least 75,000 people to Lowell and would give the city credit for an enterprise that would encourage speculate business men and manufacturers to come to it.

The race would bring the best drivers in the country and the best machines in the country and it would be a fair opportunity to test the speed and endurance of the different machines. This part, of course, would not appeal to the ordinary observer, but the event in itself would undoubtedly prove a very strong attraction.

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You can't pay less than that.

EXTRA

MOUNTAINS TO SEA

Lowell--Lawrence Boulevard is Agitated Again

The Essex county commissioners accompanied by their engineers will visit Lawrence on Friday and go over the route of the proposed boulevard from Lawrence to Lowell. They intended to make the trip tomorrow but were obliged to postpone it a day.

And thus once more the movement is on to complete the chain of state highways between New Hampshire and the sea, after an agitation that has been going on periodically for the past 10 years. The missing link in the chain of highways is the distance between Lowell and Lawrence.

As is well known the highway starting at the Pawtucket boulevard goes north from Lowell up to the state line while movements are on foot to continue it farther north. On the south the state highway is complete almost through from Lawrence to Newburyport. The distance between Lowell and Lawrence has never been covered owing to the great opposition put up to the proposed location on the north side of the river, the Hood and other interests demanding that the highway be laid on the south side of the river, thus breaking the chain along the north side from Tyngsboro. The town of Dracut through the agitation of Ex-Selectman McManmon made a strong bid for the state highway through their town by spending a considerable amount of money to continue the extension of First street from Indian Orchard to Varnum's landing, thus opening up a large stretch of roadway along the proposed route. Thus the route at present contemplated follows the tracks of the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill street railroad from Lowell to Lawrence along the bank of the river all the way. With this link connected autoists and others will have a most magnificent course from the mountains to the seashore, passing through all the cities of the Merrimack valley.

MAYOR FARNHAM

Asked to Explain Lawyer Johnson's Bill

Mayor Farnham received notice this forenoon through the clerk of committees, Frank M. Dowling, to appear before the committee on accounts this afternoon and tell why Lawyer Melvin M. Johnson's bill for $485.00 should be paid.

That was the amount of Mr. Johnson's bill for defending the mayor's position in the police board matter and the bill has been held up by the committee because, it is alleged, the mayor did not have the right to engage Mr. Johnson unless he intended to pay him out of his own pocket. If the engagement of Mr. Johnson had been sanctioned by the city solicitor it would be up to the city to pay the bill, but the city solicitor says he was not consulted in the matter and did not endorse such action.

City Solicitor Hill was not at his office when The Sun's representative called this forenoon, but from other quarters it was learned that he, too, would appear before the committee on accounts and tell why the Johnson bill should not be paid by the city.

Despite the fact that the committee was scheduled to meet at two o'clock there was no sign of the meeting starting at three o'clock. Alderman Gray, chairman of the committee, was on time, but the other two members were late.

Mayor Farnham arrived at city hall at 2.45 o'clock and when asked by a representative of The Sun if he intended to appear at the meeting of the committee on accounts the mayor said: "I will be at my office to transact any business that may turn up," which would make it appear that if the committee intended to do business with him the members would have to call on the mayor.

Two members of the committe on accounts intimated that if the mayor did not appear before them they would appear before him.

THE PAPER TRUST

Said Publishers Would be Benefited

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The publishers of newspapers appeared today before the house committee investigating the wood pulp and print paper question.

Frank P. MacLennan, publisher of the Daily State Journal of Topeka, Kas., was the first witness. He said that when the combination of paper makers was formed the publishers were told not to get excited as it would result in their benefit in the end. His contract for paper at that time, he said, was $1.74 per hundred pounds at the mill. This contract ran from 1901 to 1905. When the contract expired the best figure he could get on a new contract was $1.85 at the mill.

INTEREST
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STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

Furnished by F. W. Mills, 33 Hildreth Bl'g.

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Atchison	85⅝
Am. Beet Sugar	19½
Am. Cotton Oil	28⅝
Am. Car and Foundry	36⅝
Am. Ice	23⅝
Amalgamated	63
Am. Sugar	127½
Am. Smelting and Ref. Co.	73⅝
Am. Locomotive	51⅝
Anaconda	28⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	88½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	47½
Chesapeake & Ohio	38⅝
Chicago Great Western	4⅝
Chicago & Northwestern	152
Colorado Fuel and Iron	26
Colorado So.	30½
Colorado So. 1st	69⅝
Columbus Hocking Iron	18
Cent. Leather	26⅝
Canada Pacific	155⅝
Duluth So. Shore com	16
Duluth So. Shore pfd	21½
Delaware & Hudson	161⅝
Erie	19⅝
Erie 1st	34
Gen. Elec.	134½
Great Northern pfd	129⅝
Louisville and Nashville	108
Illinois Central	136⅝
Interboro com.	9⅝
Interboro pfl	28
Int .Steam Pump	24½
Mexican Central	15⅝
Missouri, Kansas & T	29⅝
Missouri, Kansas & T pfd	60⅝
Manhattan	134½
Metropolitan	29
Missouri Pacific	49⅝
National Biscuit	85⅝
Northern Pacific	134⅝
New York Central	102⅝
National Lead	63
N Y Airbrake	70
Norfolk	67½
N Y. N H & H R R	135½
Pacific Mail	26⅝
People's Gas	60
Pressed Steel Car	26⅝
Reading	110⅝
Rock Island	15⅝
Rock Island pfd	33⅝
Republic Iron and Steel	15
Republic Iron and Steel pfd	67⅝
St. Paul	131⅞
Sloss-Sheffield	46⅝
Southern Railway	15⅝
Southern Railway pfd	40½
Southern Pacific	84½
Tenn Copper	37⅝
U S Steel	36⅝
U S Steel pfd	100⅝
Union Pacific	152⅝
Utah Copper	28⅞
Westinghouse	48½
U S Rubber	27⅝
Wabash	10⅝
Wabash pfd	18⅝
Va. Ca. Chem	20⅝
Va. Ca. Chem pfd	94
Western Union	81½

BOSTON STOCKS.

American Tel	117⅝
Boston	17
Copper Range	70½
Butte C	22⅝
Cal. & H.	87
Centennial	23½
Franklin	7⅝
Greene, Cananea	8⅝
La Salle	14⅝
Mass. Electric	9
Mass. Electric pfd	4⅝
Mass. Gas	51
Mass Gas pfd	86⅝
Mohawk	48
North Butte	38⅝
Old Dominion	24⅝
Parrot	27
Quincy	81
Trinity	16
Shannon	12⅝
United Fruit	128
Utah	29⅝
U. S. Smelting common	38
U. S. Smelting pfd	41⅝
Woolen	19⅝
Woolen pfd	84⅝

GRUESOME MURDERS

Bodies of Five Persons Dug Up at Laporte, Ind.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 6.—One of the most gruesome murder mysteries ever unearthed in this section of the country, came to light yesterday, when the bodies of five persons, all of them having been murdered, were found in the yard of the home of Mrs. Bella Guiness, who, with her three of her children, was burned to death on the night of April 28.

So far only two of the bodies have been identified. These are Andrew Helgelein, who came to this city from Aberdeen, S. D., for the purpose of marrying Mrs. Guiness, whose acquaintance he had made through a matrimonial bureau, and Jennie Olsen Guiness, a Chicago girl who had been adopted by Mrs. Guiness. She disappeared in September, 1906, and it was said she had gone to Los Angeles to attend school. The other bodies were those of two men and a woman.

The body of Helgelein was dismembered and the arms, legs, trunk and head were buried in different parts of the yard.

It is believed by the authorities that Roy Lamphere, who has been under arrest since the burning of the Guiness home, on a charge of murdering Mrs. Guiness and her family, committed the Helgelein crime. Lamphere is a carpenter and the manner in which the body of Helgelein was dismembered leads to the belief that it was done by somebody familiar with the use of a saw.

In some quarters it is believed that Mrs. Guiness may have known something of the murders of the five persons and it is not considered likely that so many could have been buried in her yard without her, at some time, becoming familiar with the fact. There have been rumors that Jennie Olsen Guiness had knowledge of the manner in which the first husband of Mrs. Guiness came to his death in Chicago. Little is known, however, on this subject.

It is known that Helgelein had loaned $15,000 to Mrs. Guiness and that he had another $1500 in his possession just prior to his death. It is considered probable that he was killed by Mrs. Guiness or by Lamphere or by both of them in order to procure the cash he had and to avoid the necessity of repaying the loan he made.

Lamphere, against whom a strong case of circumstantial evidence exists in connection with the burning of the Guiness home and the death of Mrs. Guiness and her three children, denies all knowledge of the bodies found today. He has said, however, on other occasions, that Mrs. Guiness was anxious to send him to an insane asylum because of his knowledge of her career. It was current gossip, however, that Lamphere was insanely jealous of Mrs. Guiness and of Helgelein and it was well known that the woman stood greatly in fear of him and had asked for police protection. The search by which the bodies were found yesterday was instigated by John Hegelein, the brother of Andrew, who has always believed that his brother was murdered and that he had never gone to Norway as claimed by Mrs. Guiness and Lamphere. He noticed some recently upturned earth in the yard and suggested to Sheriff Smutzer that an excavation be made to see if his brother's body could not be found. It was dug up after brief search.

No identification of the other bodies found in the yard is expected for some time. It is considered probable, however, that they are those of people murdered with the knowledge of Mrs. Guiness for the purpose of securing money.

Jennie Olsen Guiness was a Chicago girl, who was reared by Mrs. Guiness. When the girl disappeared in September, 1906, it was Mrs. Guiness, who reported she had gone to the Los Angeles school. The theory is advanced that the girl knew too much in connection with the death of Mrs. Guiness' husband, who succumbed to wounds in the head four years ago. Mrs. Guiness stated that her husband's injuries were caused by a meat grinder falling on his head.

Lamphere before the fire in the Guiness home, said that Mrs. Guiness was trying to get rid of him and have him sent to an insane asylum because he knew too much about her.

The home of Mrs. Bella Guiness, six miles from here, was destroyed by fire during the night one week ago. The bodies of the woman and her three children were found in the ruins. The children were: Myrtle, aged 11; Lucy, aged 9, and Philip, aged 5 years. Joseph Maxwell, an employe, barely escaped from the burning house. The head of Mrs. Guiness was missing from the charred trunk. It has not been found.

Soon after the fire, Roy Lamphere was arrested. He acknowledged that he knew of the fire, but said that he had only seen it as he passed the house at 3 o'clock in the morning on his way to work. He is alleged to have annoyed Mrs. Guiness with his attentions. When put through the "sweating" process, his stories were so conflicting that he was held without bail.

Andrew Helgelein became acquainted with Mrs. Guiness through a matrimonial agency. At that time Helgelein spent almost a month visiting Mrs. Guiness and others in this city. He was supposed to have started on a trip to Norway and Sweden. He had not been heard of since. Helgelein, who was a well dressed young man from Mansfield, appeared in town one day, last winter with Mrs. Guiness and called at the savings bank. He had with him a draft for $300 which he wished cashed. The bank did not know the man and it would not accept Mrs. Guiness' indorsement for so large an amount and so the draft was left there for collection. It was drawn on a bank in Mansfield, S. D. In a few days the money came for the draft.

Apparently this money was turned over by Helgelein to Mrs. Guiness, for immediately thereafter she paid a note of $500 at the bank and paid other bills, after which she made a deposit of about $700 in the State bank. About the time this man arrived Roy Lamphere, who had been working for Mrs. Guiness, came to the sheriff and told him that there was a strange man at the Guiness home. Lamphere said that the man came from Mansfield, S. D., and that he was wanted there for murder and robbery. The sheriff put an officer to watching the man and an investigation was begun. The investigation disclosed that there had been no murder committed in Mansfield and that this man was not wanted there. Lamphere claimed to have received his information in a letter from friends in Mansfield. The last seen here of Helgelein was one morning some days later when he left for Chicago. A few days afterward the savings bank received an inquiry from Mansfield, it being stated that Helgelein had not returned there and his friends were mystified.

Assistant Cashier Buck went to the Guiness house and interviewed Mrs. Guiness and the woman is alleged to have said:

"Do they think I made away with him too?"

She then explained that the man was on his way to Norway to visit and came here to pay her the money which she had loaned him some time ago.

While questioning Joseph Maxwell, a hired hand on the Guiness farm, A. K. Helgelein learned of the mysterious digging of holes by him, all of them being filled at a later date by Mrs. Guiness. The bodies were only four feet underground and were enclosed in Guinna sacks. An expressman told of the delivery of five trunks to the Guiness farm during the last six months and this fact has caused the authorities to work on the theory that the place was a clearing house for murderers. They suspect that wealthy persons after being lured to Chicago and killed were packed in these trunks and sent to Laporte and disposed of.

The developments of yesterday also caused the authorities to recall that both husbands of Mrs. Guiness died under suspicious circumstances. The first, Max Sorensen, was insured for $8,500, and the second, Guiness, for $3,500. This insurance was paid over to Mrs. Guiness by the companies.

While a resident of Austin, the home of Mrs. Guiness was burned and although some questions as to the origin of the fire arose, the insurance was collected. With money secured from insurance on the death of her husband, Mrs. Guiness bought a confectionery store in Chicago. A short time later the store was destroyed by fire, the origin of which was suspicious, but the insurance companies could not attach any blame to Mrs. Guiness and paid the claims.

That Mrs. Guiness was evidenty contemplating another marriage is believed by the officers as the result of the receipt of a letter Wednesday by Executor Fogle, addressed to Mrs. Guiness. It is written in Norwegian and is from Carl Peterson, of Waupeca, Wis.

THE REPUBLICANS

Played a Joke on the Democrats

WASHINGTON, May 6.—A practical joke perpetrated on the democrats held the house in session until 7.24 o'clock last night. The chief plotters were Representatives Reidenburg and McGavin of Illinois, and Watson of Indiana, although it was whispered that Speaker Cannon knew about it in advance. So carefully was the movement concealed from Mr. Payne, the majority leader, that he was astounded when republicans began to vote against the usual motion made by him shortly after 5 o'clock to take a recess until 11.30 today. When the whole thing was explained to him he voted against his own motion along with his colleagues. The object was to turn the tables on the democrats for their tactics recently and keep them in the chamber until about the hour of the republican caucus and "then put them out" as some plotters said. The program was successfully carried through with the exception that in order to do it the republicans were forced by Mr. Clark, of Missouri to vote favorably on his motion to take a recess. The republicans so managed things that a quorum would disappear at once after a vote necessitating numerous roll calls and long waits for the required number of members to appear. The democrats made the best of the situation, however, and were on hand in goodly numbers and availed themselves of all the parliamentary points.

At first the republican movement was a mystery to many, but finally as the plot was revealed, the humor of the situation became apparent and the best of feeling prevailed.

On the last roll call the republicans swarmed in for the caucus, making a quorum and the house thereupon, thirteen minutes before caucus time, recessed until 11.15 this morning.

RIOT AT CIRCUS

People Fought to See Gladys Vanderbilt

VIENNA, May 6.—The public's interest and unrestrained curiosity to get a look at Countess Szechenyi precipitated a riot at the circus Beketow in Buda Pest Monday night.

The count took his bride to the races Monday afternoon. After dinner they went to the opera, but remained only a short time and then went to the circus, occupying a box.

"The richest woman in the world, the millionaire Vanderbilt, is here!"

The report spread quickly among the spectators in the crowded galleries and in other cheap seats. Driven by a common impulse they swarmed toward the box where the count and countess sat, and pushing, elbowing and fighting, invaded the aisles between the high-priced seats. The occupant of one of these and a man from the gallery clashed and became so infuriated that they drew knives and stabbed each other and were carried to the hospital.

The wild scene greatly agitated and horrified the countess. Her husband was disgusted and infuriated by his countrymen's behavior. He told the countess that he never knew Hungarians to behave so before, and he declared that, if the annoyance to which his wife has been subjected does not cease, they will never set foot in Buda Pest again.

PASTOR ACCEPTS

Henniker Preacher for Chelmsford

HENNIKER, N. H., May 6.—The Rev. T. C. H. Bouton, pastor of the Congregational church, has accepted a call to Chelmsford, Mass., and will go there June 1.

FELL DOWN STAIRS

WOMAN SUSTAINED FRACTURE OF THE LEG.

Cordelia Morvin fell down stairs at 75 East Merrimack stret last night about 11 o'clock and suffered a broken leg. The ambulance was summoned and she was removed to St. John's hospital.

CITY OFFICIALS

ELECTED BY CITY GOVERNMENT OF CAMBRIDGE.

CAMBRIDGE, May 6.—The city government of Cambridge last night elected the following city officials:

City treasurer, W. W. Dallinger, re-elected.

City clerk, Edward J. Brandon, for fourteenth consecutive year.

Assistant city clerk, Albert S. Pear, for fourteenth consecutive year.

City messenger, John McDuffee.

Clerk of committees, Frank T. Evans.

Y. M. C. A. GYM.

Banquet Held by Physical Dept. on Hurd St.

ADDRESSES BY PROMINENT MEN

President Bowen Acted as Toastmaster

MANY WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

To the Young Athletes From Experienced Men

The third annual banquet of the physical department of the Young Men's Christian Association was held last night at the association quarters in Hurd street. There was a large attendance, an excellent menu was discussed and good speaking followed.

The hall was very attractively as well as artistically decorated with red and white bunting and the flags of various colleges. The tables were formed in the shape of a triangle which is emblematic of the Y. M. C. A.

MR. FRANK A. BOWEN,
President Y. M. C. A.

Dinner was served at 6.30 o'clock under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the association and for an hour those present were well occupied with the menu. Music during the dinner was furnished by the Colonial orchestra, which also played at intervals during the speaking.

After dinner had been served the post prandial exercises were commenced. Dr. George I. Van Deursen was to have acted as toastmaster, but owing to his absence F. A. Bowen, president of the association, served in that capacity.

T. H. Russell, 2d, of Boston, connected with the Boston association, was one of the principal speakers of the evening. Mr. Russell responded to the toast "Clean Sport." Mr. Russell made a strong plea for honesty in athletics, and advocated registration by amateur athletes as the best means of attaining that end. He said in part:

"The association stands for the best development of soul, mind, and body. It stands for clean sport. Amateur sport usually means clean sport, while professionalism may mean otherwise. The true distinction between the amateur and the professional is just this: The amateur goes into the game because of the love for it, for the glory of victory or the honor of fair defeat. The professional goes into it for what he can get out of it. For that very reason, professional sports may sometimes be unfair."

Here Mr. Russell pointed out that there were frequent cases of "thrown" wrestling bouts. He described the late Gotch-Hackenschmidt bout, and declared it to be a disgrace to American sportsmen. He likened the defeated foreigner to a baited bull in an arena of old Spain.

Mr. Russell then described the advantages to be gained by becoming a registered member of some national organization, the Amateur League of North America, in which Y. M. C. A. teams are enrolled, in particular.

Christopher A. Walker, of the local association, spoke on "Possibilities of Leadership in the Gymnasium." He gave a description of the foundation of the work of the leaders' corps and concluded with a glowing tribute to Christopher Scaife, the present physical instructor.

Mr. Scaife was the next speaker. He dwelt particularly upon the efforts of the directors and of Mr. Morse, the secretary, to further the interests of the association and said that the local organization had handled the largest amount of business of any organization of a similar size in the country during the past year.

Other speakers were Haven G. Hill, who talked on "The Professional Man in the Gym.", William Chase, who responded to the toast, "Reminiscences," and E. W. Wilder of the Worcester Y. M. C. A. There was also a solo by Robert E. Andet, who was obliged to respond with an encore to the enthusiasm of the audience. Miss Ethel Waller acted as accompanist.

The dinner was under the direction of the members of the Women's Auxiliary, and it was they who assisted in the serving. The auxiliary committee in general charge was: Mrs. C. E. Meader, chairman; Mrs. W. H. H. Brown, Mrs. C. C. S. Wheeler, Mrs. T. G. Waller, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. Christopher Scaife, Mrs. Colin McDonald, Mrs. G. W. Hands, Mrs. Ada Martin, Mrs. W. H. Folsom, Mrs. O. H. Dodge, Mrs. B. C. Bay, Mrs. Charles Flemings, Mrs. Albion Felker, Mrs. W. H. Upham, Mrs. Charles Fiske, Mrs. W. A. Morse, Miss Alice Trewin.

The servers were: Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Mrs. Burton Wiggin, Mrs. Caroline Crawford, Mrs. Harry Stocks, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. Charles Upton.

The waiters were: Miss Ethel Waller, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Mildred Meader, Miss Charlotte Meader, Miss Margaret McDonald, Miss Sadie McDonald, Russell Fox, Lester Flemings, Merrill Kimball, Harry Daggett, Chester Wheeler, Arnold Moore.

CRICKET CLUB

MEETINGS OF THE ZIONS TO BE HELD TONIGHT.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Zion Cricket club will be held at the residence of Albert Whitworth, 31 Sydney street, tonight at 8 o'clock.

It is expected that a large representation of the club members will turn out, as matters of great importance will be discussed, and as the state league season opens on Saturday, May 9, several matters must be settled before that time.

Several committees will be appointed and the election of captains, vice-captains, scorers, delegates to the state league, etc., will be up before the meeting.

The report of schedule, tackle, team, finance and grounds committee will be made, which will be of special interest. The grounds committee has been at work for a number of days, and has completed the work of laying the water pipes to the club house and the crease, which will be of special benefit to the players.

The members are earnestly requested to be on hand to consider this important business, and any other matters that may be brought before them.

ATTY. GENERAL

ASKED THAT STATE GET UNCLAIMED MONEY.

BOSTON, May 6.—Attorney General Dana Malone has applied to the probate court for an order that certain unclaimed deposit, amounting to some $125,000, now in the custody of the Provident Institution for Savings, be turned over to the state treasurer.

The application is under chapter 340 of the statutes of 1907, which provides that deposits remaining unclaimed in any banking institution for more than thirty years may be laid claim to by the state and turned over to the state treasurer. The application of the attorney general at this time is, however, the first time the law has been called into effect.

If such order is issued by the probate court and the unclaimed deposits are turned over to the state, it is probable that the attorney general's application will be followed by similar applications in other parts of the state and on other banking institutions.

HELD IN $5000

MAN IS CHARGED WITH SETTING HAVERHILL FIRE.

HAVERHILL, May 6.—Charged with setting the fire in the Carboni block Saturday morning, when thirty families had narrow escapes from death, Palo Ferratti was arrested last night and held in $5000 bonds for his appearance before the district court today. Ferratti conducts a pool room in the lower floor of the Carboni block and when the police and firemen entered the place, it is alleged that they found the tables and chairs saturated with oil. An inquest was held yesterday by Fire Marshal Rice as a result of which Ferratti's arrest followed last evening.

FAIR GROUNDS

The Buffalo Bill Wild West show and Barnum & Bailey's circus which are to give performances here will be seen on the land formerly known as the Fair grounds in Gorham street.

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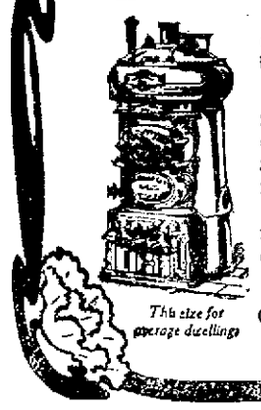

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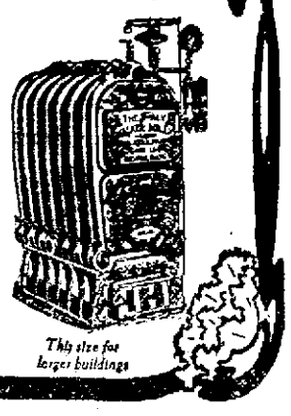

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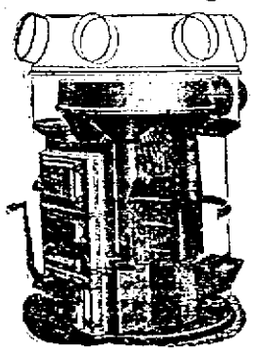

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6 O'CLOCK

CUT THEIR THROATS

Boy Attacked Five Persons While They Slept

NEW YORK, May 6.—A sixteen-year-old boy known only as Carmello and employed in a barber shop in Brooklyn early today cut the throats of his employer, Antonio Peraso, Mrs. Peraso and three barbers while they lay asleep in Peraso's apartment in 107 Fulton street. The wounds of Peraso and his wife are believed to be mortal while those of the three barbers are serious but probably not fatal. The boy escaped. The police have the theory that the boy was an agent of a "black hand" gang which had been demanding money of Peraso under threat of doing him injury and that the blackmailers placed the boy in the shop in order to punish Peraso for his refusal to satisfy their demands.

Carmello used a pair of scissors and a razor in his attack on the barber and his employes. Frank Strafino, Michael Rebento and Joseph Macoro, the three barbers, were first attacked by the boy. Srafino was awakened from his sleep by a stab and before he could protect himself the boy drew a razor across his throat, inflicting a severe wound. He was still conscious and saw the boy as he crept to the bedsides of Rebento and Macero and cut their throats while they slept.

Peraso who with his wife was asleep in an adjoining room was awakened by a stab wound in his neck and engaged the boy in a desperate struggle for his life. The man was unarmed and the boy, clutching a razor in his hand slashed his employer several times about the face, neck and hands, inflicting wounds from which Peraso suffered great loss of blood.

The fight was going with the barber when his three assistants staggered into the room and attacked the boy. Together they drove him from the rooms into the street and then managed to summon assistance. It was then found that Mrs. Peraso's throat had been cut and that she was lying in bed only partially conscious while the fight with the apparently insane boy was in progress.

THE PRINCE CASE

Plaintiff Finished Evidence This Noon

In the case of Nellie F. Prince vs. Lowell Electric Light company to recover $12,000 for the loss of her husband's life as the result of coming in contact with a live wire, when the plaintiff's side was finished at noon today, the jury was excused to allow Lawyer Qua to argue a motion to take the case from the jury.

Judge King stated that he would hear a motion only on the question as to whether the plaintiff's intestate was in the exercise of due care at the time of the accident.

In regard to the question as to the defendants' negligence His Honor stated that there was evidence enough on this question to allow the case to go to the jury.

The court called upon Lawyer Bent for the plaintiff to argue first on the question. "What evidence is there to show that the plaintiff's intestate was in the exercise of due care?"

Both counsel then argued at length on the question at issue.

Among the witnesses called by the plaintiff before the adjournment last evening were Drs. Varney and Irish, Arthur A. Racicot, Thomas E. French, superintendent of distribution of the Lowell Electric Light Co., George and William H. Rigby, of No. Chelmsford, James Hackett of North Chelmsford, and Walter I. Chase of Lowell.

This morning the plaintiff put on Supt. Hunnewell of the Electric Light Co. and recalled the Messrs. Rigby and W. Racicot. At the conclusion of the plaintiff's case Lawyer Bent introduced two burned branches cut from the trees at the Prince residence, showing how the wires had burned them. Mr. Qua's objection to their admission was overruled and he took an exception to the ruling.

Former Clerk Ralph Smith will place five short cases on the short list, after which the last 10 cases on the docket will come along and these will include the Jalbert accident cases growing out of the fall of a staging in Church street.

This session has been one of the smoothest and busiest in a long time and out of a docket of 90 cases, all but 15 have been tried or settled.

DEFENCE GOES IN.

Judge King at the opening of the afternoon session of superior court decided to hear the evidence for the defence before giving a decision on the motion to take from the jury.

The only cases on today's short list were those of Kady vs. Frye, J. A. Dorcey for the plaintiff and John J. Doyle for defendant, and Boyle vs. Gookin, Pratt and Devine for the plaintiff and Burke and Corbett for the defendant.

BRYAN INDORSED

The Ohio Democrats Favor Him

COLUMBUS, O., May 6.—The democratic state platform as informally agreed upon early today by the committee on resolutions strongly indorses W. J. Bryan and instructs the delegates to the national convention to vote for him. The unit rule is declared for. Other provisions are: Direct vote for United States senator on the Oregon plan. The initiative and referendum is recommended in its strongest form for state, counties and municipalities with the majority of votes on questions at issue to rule.

An employer's liability, child labor and eight-hour laws are urged. Direct labor instead of the contract system is recommended for all public works. No temperance or anti-temperance plank was inserted. National issues are not alluded to except as they affect the state. In other respects they are referred to the national convention. Ben L. Heidingsfeld of Hamilton county was chairman of the committee and Charles Duffy of Pickaway county, secretary. Both are Harmon men.

JEWELRY TRADE

IS RECOVERING FROM THE BUSINESS DEPRESSION.

NORTH ATTLEBORO, May 6.—An almost complete recovery from the long run continued depression in the jewelry trade which has affected the big manufactories of Attleboro and North Attleboro is said to have been reached. Four plants will resume business tomorrow after having been shut down for some time. Other manufacturers who have been curtailing their production announce that full tim eschedules will be put into effect at once. About 3000 hands are affected by the resumption.

SEVERAL CHANGES

IN WORKING FORCE AT WATER WORKS.

The advent of two new members into the water board has been followed by several changes in the working force of the department. Among those dropped were about all who held their jobs by the grace of ex-Commissioner Wotton.

FIRST CONGRESS

OF AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PROPRIETORS OPENED TODAY.

AGUASCALIENTES, Mexico, May 6.—The first congress of Mexican newspaper proprietors was opened in this city yesterday. The purpose of the conference is to effect a mutual organization of the periodicals of Mexico.

BUCKET SHOPS

THE BILL CLOSING THEM IS NOW A LAW.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 6.—The bill closing all so termed "bucket shops" in the state became a law today when it passed the senate and house of representatives. The bill is similar to the Massachusetts and New York measure and goes into effect September 1 of this year.

HAD ROUGH PASSAGE.

NEW YORK, May 6.—F. Lewis Clark's schooner yacht Emerald arrived today from Port Antonio after a rough passage of ten days. The Emerald had been cruising in the Mediterranean waters with her owner and his family. Mr. Clark left the yacht at Port Antonio. The yacht will proceed to New London.

N. E. CHAUTAUQUA.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, May 6.—The directors of the New England Chautauqua assembly announced today that the assembly for this year at Montwait would be held from July 14 to 24. Rev. John L. Sewall of Randolph will act as superintendent of instruction.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

AN INSANE MAN

WASHINGTON COURTHOUSE, O., May 6.—Bert Devaney, aged 43, white, a well known horseman and driver of John Hancock, last night shot and killed Lida Bird, aged 22, a colored girl, and shot her mother in the abdomen, inflicting a probably fatal wound. He then ran across the town to the barn of Silas Shackelford, where he took refuge. Refusing to come out Shackelford went in after him and was shot and killed by Devaney. Later Devaney committed suicide.

It is thought Devaney was insane. Following the shooting of the two women the authorities organized a posse and Company M, 4th regiment, Ohio National Guard, was called out, permission having been given by Governor Harris. The officers surrounded the barn and threatened to burn it. Finally persons ventured up to the barn door and there saw Shackelford's body. Under cover they removed it to the outside. Nothing was then seen of Devaney, as but as several shots had been heard, it was supposed that Devany had committed suicide and upon going into the barn officers found his body, he having shot himself in the head. Devaney shot the girl and her mother when he called at their home and was refused admittance. The colored girl was a graduate of the high school. Devaney was separated from his wife, who lives at Darbyville.

Several years ago while marshal of Darbyville Devaney shot and killed Washington Hardington, who was resisting arrest and served a short term in the penitentiary for the act.

A GREAT WELCOME

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Four months and twenty days out from Hampton Roads, the Atlantic fleet of battleships and the second American Torpedo flotilla steam today within the Golden Gate and cast anchor in the harbor of San Francisco where a welcome characteristic of truly western hospitality awaits them. All last night the sixteen battleships lay at anchor off the outer lightship, gently rolling in the swell of the Pacific with the six accompanying black hulled destroyers bobbing about in their restless manner and making life uncomfortable for everybody aboard. The glow of the city lights in the midnight sky could be plainly seen from the ships and made officers and men alike impatient for the completon of the last of the originally planned cruise of the heavy squadrons. The path to the Golden Gate lay to the eastward while a few miles away in the wake of the long dimmed sun the night lights of the tiny Taralone islands twinkled their domestic vigils in entire ignorance of the immediate presence of the most distinguished naval visitors ever sent to the west coast of the United States. Wireless despatches sent from the ships to the shore during most of the long night hours told of the uneventful journey from Santa Cruz, the last stopping place, and of the preparations for the impressive entry into San Francisco bay under the glare of the noonday sun.

The movements of the fleet have been so timed by the navigators that the Connecticut will pass within the headlands of the gateway—Point Bonita on the north and Point Lobos on the south—exactly at 12 o'clock. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans who left the fleet after the first ten days of target practice at Magdalena bay and came to Paso Robles hot springs for treatment, rejoined the fleet yesterday at Monterey and took up his quarters in the emergency cabin of the Connecticut where he spent most of his time during the long trip down the eastern coast of South America, through the straits of Magellan and on up the western coasts of the hemisphere to be at the head of the line of sixteen ships on the day of their triumphal entry into the historic bay of the far western metropolis.

It was estimated by railroad officials today that more than 300,000 strangers have been brought into San Francisco alone during the last 48 hours. The fleet has been the topic of every city, town or hamlet within several hundred miles of San Francisco during the past two months, and every person able to make the trip either by railroad or horse drawn vehicles, has come today to witness the review of the fleet in the harbor by Secretary Metcalf on Friday. The secretary has been in the city for several days and on board his reviewing ship, the Yorktown, will see the entry of the magnificent line of fighting vessels today from just within the harbor gates. Every hotel, boarding house and private residence within the neighborhood of San Francisco is taxed to overflowing, and the crowded conditions are expected to continue most of the ten days' program of entertainment provided for the officers and men of the visiting ships. With the earliest streaks of the coming day, the thousands who wished to view the historic spectacle of the fleet's entrance, began this morning to make their way to points of vantage along the shores running both north and south of the Golden Gate.

The harbor itself was jammed with pleasure craft from the earliest hours of the day.

The saluting cannon of the Presidio under special direction of Gen. Funston will boom a welcoming national salute of 21 guns in honor of the ships as they pass within the harbor. First will come the Connecticut and then will folow at equal distances and in single column, the seven other vessels of the first squadron, the Kansas, Vermont, Louisiana, Georgia, New Jersy, Rhode Island and Virginia, augmented by the first of the newcomers that are to join the fleet permanently at this port, and which were picked up off the lightship, the Nebraska. After the first squadron will come the two divisions of the second, the flagship Minnesota, with Rear Admiral Thomas on the bridge, having resumed her old-time position at the head of the list of vessels which include the Ohio, Missouri, Maine, Alabama, Illinois, Kearsarge and Kentucky, with the second of the newcomers, the Wisconsin, bringing up the rear. After these eighteen battleships come the six destroyers of the second flotilla, the real little heroes of the cruise around the southernmost end of America. These indefatigable little craft had to fight every inch of their way from Hampton Roads, even to the cruise up the usually calm California coast, which during the past week has been upset and beaten by a lashing gale of especial intensity.

NEW DWELLINGS

According to applications for permits to build registered at the office of the inspector of buildings at the city hall, Mr. J. E. Lambert contemplates the erection of two two-family dwellings in the rear of 20 Gershom avenue, and in order to find room for the two houses there it will be necessary to move another building from the rear to the front of the same lot.

The estimated cost of the dwellings is $2800 each and it will cost $300 to move the building from the rear to the front of the lot.

THE CARPENTERS

Postpone the Wage Demand Until Aug. 3

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of Carpenters' union, No. 40, was held at 22 Middle street last night and considerable business of importance was transacted, the principal matter to be brought before the union being a report from the district council relative to the recent demand for an increase in wages.

At the present time the carpenters are paid 35 cents per hour for a 44-hour week and recently it was voted to demand 38 cents an hour and a 44-hour week. This was to go into effect on the first of May.

At a meeting of the union held a week ago it was voted to refer the matter to the district council, as the members of the local union did not care to do anything which might block business.

At last night's meeting Agent Michael A. Lee, who is also a member of the district council, read a report which was favorably received. The union has voted to postpone the demand until August 3.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

BOSTON, May 6.—Trading in the local copper market at the opening today was brisk, the tone reflecting the advance in the New York list. Orders were widely distributed although the buying of Amalgamated led the list.

Matthew Ripon, editor of the Queen City Journal, was a visitor at Lowell today.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

The graduating exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will be held tomorrow evening. The buildings will be open for inspection at 7 o'clock and exercises will commence at 7.45 o'clock in the assembly hall, Moody street and Colonial avenue.

The address of welcome will be by President A. G. Cumnock and Mr. John J. Connell, agent of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, will have something interesting to say to the students and others interested in the manufacturing industry.

Words of encouragement and advice will be spoken by Hon. Frederick Lawton and the presentation of certificates will be by Principal Charles H. Eames.

Principal Eames and others interested in the school are anxious to have the people of Lowell become better acquainted with the school and what it stands for. The little that the majority in Lowell know of the school is regretfully surprising.

The program for the graduating exercises tomorrow evening is as follows:

Selections.
Hibbard's Orchestra.
Address of welcome,
President A. G. Cumnock.
Address,
Mr. John J. Connell.
Selection.
Hibbard's Orchestra.
Address.
Hon. Frederick Lawton.
Presentation of certificates.
Principal Charles H. Eames.

THE ICE TRUST

APPELLATE COURT TURNS DOWN ITS PETITION.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The appellate division of the supreme court of this state refused today to grant the petition of Wesley M. Oler, president of the American Ice Co., for an order prohibiting Justice Goff, Attorney Gen. William Jackson and the grand jury from investigating the ice company.

DEATHS

THURSTON—Earl A. Thurston, aged 1 year, 3 months, child of Charles W. and Mary Thurston, died yesterday at their home, 9 Leverett street.

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ALL FOR TAFT

The Connecticut Delegates Are Instructed

HARTFORD, Conn., May 6.—Connecticut's delegation of fourteen members to the Chicago convention is made up of ten who have positive instructions to vote for and to actively work for the nomination of Secretary Taft for the presidency and four members who are not instructed by the district conventions which selected them. The state convention met today and it was determined that it had no jurisdiction in respect to the county conventions. While the convention was evidently strongly pro-Taft there was strong opposition to instructing the delegation but those opposed gracefully gave up the fight after they had tested convention sentiment. The chief feature of the convention was the withdrawal of the names of U. S. Senators Bulkeley and F. B. Brandegee as candidates for delegates in the message to Railroad Commissioner Gates in which they stated that they were opposed to going to Chicago as delgates if they were instructed. The withdrawal of their names followed the decision of the Taft men last night to not consider the names owing to uncertainty of the attitude of both senators towards Mr. Taft.

The convention in business session was expeditious.

The republicans of Connecticut confidently welcome the judgment of the ballot boxes on the party's record in the state and in the nation. They honor the high purposes which have inspired the course of President Roosevelt and have endeared him to the people of the United States.

The republicans of Connecticut desire a prompt and friendly revision of the tariff of 1897 by a republican congress that thinks American industries and the American wages paid in them should be protected but they protest against monopolistic combinations which increase the prices of products merely to increase the profits of the producers.

They want a currency elastic enough to expand and contract automatically in instant response to the needs of business and every dollar of it as good as gold and to secure legislation to this end they advocate a commission to study the subject and report to congress.

The sentiment of the republicans of Connecticut as expressed formally in many caucuses and informally wherever men discuss political affairs is so evenly concentrated upon one eminent statesman for the presidency that this convention hereby directs its delegates to cast their votes for the nomination of the Hon. William Taft of Ohio.

The delegation to the national convention follows:

At large—Charles F. Brooker, Ansonia; Michael Kenealy, Stamford; first district, Charles Hopkins Clark, Hartford; second district, Isaac M. Ullman, New Haven; third district, Timothy E. Hopkins, Killingly; fourth district, D. R. Fyler, Torrington; Hartford county, Charles M. Jarvis of Berlin; Tolland county, George E. Keeney, Somers; New Haven county, Dennis A. Blakeslee, of New Haven; Middlesex county, Andrew N. Shepard, Portland; New London county, Angus Park, Sprague; Windham county, Edwin Milner, Mossup; Fairfield county, W. E. Burnham, Bridgeport; Litchfield county, J. H. Roraback, Canaan.

National Committeeman Brooker called a meeting of the delegation next Monday at New Haven to organize and make arrangements for attendance upon the convention.

DR. ROBT. BELL

Included in the marriage intentions appearing on the big book in the city clerk's office today, is that of Dr. Robert E. Bell of this city. The intention reads as follows:

Robert E. Bell, 47, physician, (widowed) and Lottiemae Mackey (nee Mackey), 30, (divorced), at home, 109 Stoughton street, Boston.

Another intention registered today reads as follows: William W. Crab, 21, operative, and Ruth A. Brooks, 21, operative.

FUNERALS

YUILL—The funeral of Mrs. Naomi J. Yuill took place yesterday from the home of her son, George W. Farnham, 383 Dutton street. Rev. George F. Kennott of the First Trinitarian church was the officiating clergyman. There was singing of appropriate music by Mrs. Horace Hanson and Mrs. Sadie Duncan. The bearers were: Messrs. Charles E. Cashin, Allen Hoeg, George Keith and Henry Schofield. The body was sent to Newburyport for burial, on a morning train. J. A. Weinbeck was the undertaker in charge.

Mrs. Yuill died at the home of her son, George W. Farnham, 383 Dutton street, on Saturday last. Besides a son she leaves two grandchildren, Mrs. Arthur H. Cashin and Erle Farnham; two sisters, Mrs. Maria Hoeg of Marblehead and Mrs. Hannah Keith of Newton Centre, and one brother Nathan Duff of Advocate, Nova Scotia.

ELLIS—The funeral of Arthur E. Ellis was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of his parents in Riverside street and was largely attended. Services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow of the Eliot Congregational church and there was singing by Mr. Munn. The bearers were Alfred H. Berry, Willard Parker, Roland Black, James Chalmerson, E. D. Chase and Alvin Sykes. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker Young.

FUNERAL NOTICES

STOTT—In North Billerica, May 4, James Stott, aged 82 years, 5 months and 23 days. Funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from his residence in North Billerica. Friends invited. Kindly omit flowers. Undertaker Young.

PLUNKET—The funeral of Mary E. Plunket will take place on Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 9 Newhall street. Funeral services will be held at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker John F. Rogers in charge.

MATHEWS' MEETING.

A well attended meeting of the Mathew Temperance institute was held last night, President Coyne presiding. The committee in charge of the minstrel entertainment to be given at a future date, reported. Preparations for the visit to Worcester were discussed. Several other committees submitted favorable reports.

POLICE BOARD MET

The Joyce company, Charles H. Joyce, treasurer, was granted a first and fourth class common victualler and wholesale dealers' license by the board of police last night.

The granting of a license to The Joyce company has been hanging fire for a considerable length of time owing to the strenuous remonstrance on the part of creditors of the company.

Last night, however, the application was taken off the table and it was voted to grant the license.

THE OPEN MEETING.

The open meeting was called to order about 8.30 o'clock and the first matter taken up was the distribution of advice to junk dealers by Supt. Moffatt.

The superintendent stated that he had invited the junk dealers to appear before the board last night for the reason that for some time they have failed to make a report to the police as to the purchase of brass, lead, copper, etc., which they are supposed to report. Continuing he said: "I have no objection to these dealers getting a license, but I want the board to impress upon them that they must give a report. In the last few months we have received reports of brass and lead stolen and this stolen material must pass through their hands. There are two gentlemen present who, I understand, do not deal in any form with junk collectors. They do a wholesale business or buy from the manufacturers in this city. They buy in large quantities."

A representative of the E. Buxton &

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"DOLLY BURNS" GANG

More depredations on the part of the celebrated "Dolly Burns" gang which has headquarters in the vicinity of French street were brought to light this morning when the case of Peter Vasilion charged with larceny was heard in police court.

Vasilion, who claims to be 18 years of age, but who does not look it, was charged with stealing 400 pounds of lead from a building belonging to the Boott corporation. He told conflicting stories and the court found him guilty, but deferred sentence until more particulars could be learned.

The building from which the lead was stolen is situated in Silk street and was formerly used as a boarding house, but is now being changed into a storehouse.

Vasilion testified that he and "Dolly Burns" and Thomas Hughes went to the building one night and while he watched for the police officers, the other two, with the assistance of a ladder, mounted to the roof and ripped off the lead and brought it down in bags. If an officer or any person approached the place while the two men were on the roof, Vasilion was to whistle. He said that it was not necessary to give the signal, however, as they were not disturbed in their work.

He said that the other two sold the lead to a junk man, getting 60 cents for one lot and a dollar for the other, but they refused to divide with him.

The "Dolly Burns" referred to is Adelbert Burleigh, who appeared in police court a few weeks ago and was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory. He appealed and is now in jail awaiting the session of the superior court. Hughes was arrested the same time Burleigh was, but he escaped with a fine.

Major Noyes, who conducted the case for the government, said he had spoken to Burleigh, but has not at the present time sufficient evidence to bring him before the court on a larceny charge.

Judge Hadley decided to continue the case for another week, and held Vasilion under $300 bonds.

KILLED HIMSELF

Prof. Gowell Was Temporarily Insane

ORONO, Me., May 6.—Prof. Gilbert M. Gowell, who on the first of January severed his connection with the university of Maine after 25 years' service during which he won a reputation which made his work regarded by the United States department of agriculture as the most important ever carried on in this country in poultry experiments, killed himself today by shooting while in a state of temporary melancholia. His work in the poultry department was considered of international as well as of national importance.

While the housekeeper, the only other inmate of his residence, was absent on an errand, Prof. Gowell obtained access to a gun and used it with fatal effect. Since the death of his wife two years ago he has been suffering from mental depression which recently became more marked. He was a native of Bowdoinham and 63 years of age. He had no children.

During recent years he had been professor of animal industry and in charge of the poultry department at the agricultural experiment station. He retired from active teaching last June and from work in the experiment station on Jan. 1. University exercises were suspended immediately upon the announcement of his death.

MERCHANTS' ASS'N

WILL HOLD INTERESTING MEETING THURSDAY EVENING.

The Merchants' association holds another meeting with supper, at the American house, Thursday evening of this week at 6.30. It is expected that it will be an interesting session. Those members who have not replied to the card, should do so at once, so that the committee can complete its arrangements.

VISITS PATIENT.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., May 6.—Dr. Joseph Bryan of New York, who is attending former President Cleveland, returned to Lakewood to visit his patient today.

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KILLED HERSELF

Young Woman First Probably Fatally Injured Hotel Clerk

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 6.—Miss Christine Bau, a young woman supposed to have been insane, shot and probably fatally injured Louis Neveaux, a hotel clerk, on the principal street of the city late last night and then killed herself. Neveaux told the officials at Heaton hospital, where he was removed that he had never seen Miss Bau before and that he could not account for the tragedy.

Miss Bau was 25 years of age and formerly was an inmate of the Vermont state insane asylum at Waterbury. Since her release six months ago her relatives in Barre, where her family resides, have been watching her closely, but until last night she gave no intimation that she was about to become violent. Two years ago the young woman became unbalanced and shot two men in Woodsville, N. H. She was acquitted by a jury in the Grafton county court, but as her sanity was in doubt she was turned over to the Vermont authorities, she being a citizen of this state, and was sent to the asylum at Waterbury.

Last fall her condition was so improved that it was decided to release her and she was sent to her father's home in Barre. Recently she had been visiting her brother-in-law, Golden Douglas of this city. Apparently Mr. Douglas was suspicious that Miss Bau was threatened with an attack of her previous trouble, for about ten o'clock last night when she disappeared he went to the police station and made inquiries of the officers. Before a search could be made news was received that a young woman had shot a man on State street. Neveaux was on his way home at the time. When passing along State street in front of the National Life Insurance company's building, at the corner of Western avenue, and within ten rods of the Central Vermont Railroad station, he was startled by a pistol shot, and a bullet which struck him in the lower part of the body. He afterward said that he saw a young woman approaching but he paid little attention to her. Just as she passed him she turned and fired a shot at close range. Neveaux falling to the sidewalk, seriously injured. Two more shots were fired, apparently at random and then the woman turned her revolver upon herself, the fourth shot passing through her brain and causing instant death.

When the police reached the scene the body of Miss Bau and the semi-conscious form of Neveaux lay within a few feet of each other. Neveaux was rushed to the hospital in an ambulance and after several hours' examination and treatment by the surgeons they announced that his condition was serious. Neveaux regained consciousness and told how the shooting occurred. He said that he was not acquainted with Miss Bau and so far as he knew she did not know him. He said that he and the young woman had not been in each others company during the evening and that he had not offered to molest her in any way when he passed her on the street. Neveaux has been employed in hotels for several years and until a short time ago was clerk at the Pavilion house. The police are investigating his story of the tragedy, but up to a late hour they had found no occasion to doubt his version of it, in view of the young woman's attempt to kill two men in Woodsville.

In the absence of the medical examiner, Burton E. Bailey, the Montpelier member of the Washington county grand jury, took charge of the investigation in behalf of the state authorities, and it is understood that the officials at the state insane asylum will be requested to furnish a record of Miss Bau's sojourn in that institution.

Miss Bau was the daughter of C. Bau, a photographer of Barre. She was regarded as a young woman of handsome features and was always well dressed.

SHOT TWO MEN

MISS BAU'S CAREER IN WOODSVILLE, N. H.

WOODSVILLE, N. H., May 6.—Two years ago Miss Bau created a sensation in this town by shooting two young men early one summer evening and then attempting to shoot an officer who arrested her.

The young woman came into town early in the evening from Wells River, Vt., across the Connecticut river, having during the day traveled from Montpelier by way of St. Johnsbury. So far as known she had no relatives or close friends in the town and was passing the evening on the street.

Passing the Young Men's Christian association building, she took offence at remarks made by a group of men standing on the sidewalk and coming back opened fire with a revolver at the group. Her shots took effect and two young men were wounded. A young man named Gonyer, a high school pupil at the time, was shot in a leg and a brakeman on the Montpelier and Wells River road was also wounded.

An officer on the street stared to arrest the woman and she turned the revolver upon him, but was disarmed before she could fire.

The woman was arraigned and after a hearing it was found that she was not mentally responsible. As her home was in Vermont, it was declared the Vermont authorities would have to take care of her and she was sent to the asylum at Waterbury.

The woman was of a most attractive appearance and seemed rational in most ways.

FOUND DEAD

MAN'S DEATH DUE TO HEART FAILURE.

BURLINGTON, Vt., May 6.—The body of Homer E. Powell, aged 57, a lawyer and prominent citizen of Milton, was found dead in a room at the Sherwood house late last night. The room was filled with gas which was flowing from an open gas jet. It is believed that death was caused by heart failure, an attack owh chich apparently came on as Mr. Powell was about to light the gas.

Mr. Powell leaves a wife, six sons and one daughter.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

We are privileged again to hear Miss Millar on Wednesday noon. She will lead the 20-minute service in the recreation room at 12.25.

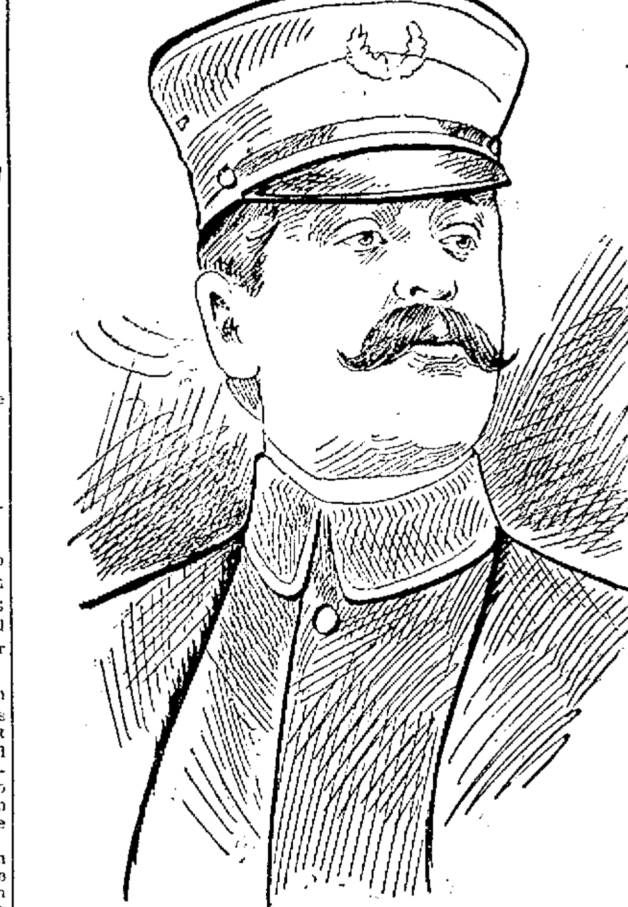
At 7.45 p. m. Miss Millar is to speak once more in Kitson hall. She has told us that she has the story of an Australian friend, a Jewess, to relate. We want you to hear it. Miss Millar holds her audiences with complete power. It is a pleasure to be so held. Her object is directly evangelistic. For that most of all we are glad. You will be, too. Come and hear her.

MOUNTAIN ROCK

NONE OF THE BIG TREES ARE BEING CUT DOWN.

Report has it that Mountain Rock grove is being hewed down by lumber men. Such is not the case. Nothing but the underbrush is being cleared away in order to make it more passable to visitors.

Good time: Mathew hall, tonight, Calumet orchestra.



CAPTAIN GEORGE MELVILLE BOYNTON, THE "DARKEST AFRICA EXPLORER," SENT TO JAIL AS A HOTEL BEAT.

SUMMER IN JAIL

Explorer Boynton Convicted as Hotel Beat

NEW YORK, May 6.—Instead of exploring the wilds of "darkest America," Captain George Melville Boynton, the debonnair "explorer" and former Boston and Brookline society idol, will break stones in a New York penitentiary for the next three months.

The dashing captain, who took the ultra fashionable set by storm, was yesterday sentenced to three months' imprisonment as a hotel beat. As a result he will, it is understood, spend the summer exploring Blackwell's Island.

Boynton recently was tried and found guilty of beating the Hotel Hermitage, New York city, out of a board bill of $30. When his case came up for sentence yesterday, his counsel, General Kneeland, pleaded for a light sentence.

General Kneeland said: "I am sure Captain Boynton never had any criminal intent. He simply does not know the difference between meum and tuum. He is a very able explorer and mining man. I think that a sentence of 30 days will be enough to warn him."

Probation Officer Groveur said that he had found that Boynton was married and that his wife was about to return to England, as she thought her husband had been squandering his money on other women. The probation officer declared that Boynton was a member of the Chemists' and Explorers' clubs.

Assistant District Attorney Kindleberger said that Boynton's two valets were unable to get their trunks from the Hermitage because they had sent them there under Boynton's name.

At the conclusion of these remarks Presiding Justice Zeller imposed the sentence, and Boynton was led away.

GARDEN PARTY

Musical Hit by Y. M. C. I. Actors

GIVEN FOR THE DAY NURSERY

Good Attendance of Y. M. C. I. and Friends

An extremely pretty musical melange entitled "The Garden Party" was given by the Y. M. C. I. in Associate hall, last evening for the benefit of the Day Nursery.

The play was in one act and of course was replete with fun and music. The leading lady of the occasion was Miss Alice Bagley, who is certainly Lowell's vaudeville queen. She appeared in the fluffy-ruffles part of "Miss Tottie Two-a-Day," a vaudeville star. Her song, "Smarty," was encored again and again. The entire program was a catchy affair, and the choruses were given with genuine vim. John J. Quinn managed the stage, and did it well, and the comedy furnished by Messrs. George Lynch and John J. Payne had many local hits that were warmly applauded. James McNulty's song, "There Never Was a Girl Like You" led off the "garden party," and this was followed by "When You Steal a Kiss or Two," by Miss Elizabeth McAleer. John H. McCaffrey gave "When They're Bringing in the Corn;" Edward F. Shea sang in good voice "Heart of My Heart," and Frank McCartin caught the audience with "Somebody Lied," a remarkably funny song. The tinkers' chorus from "Robin Hood" was one of the best things of the evening, it being given in costume by Messrs. Andrew Doyle, T. Duffy, W. Marren, R. Whalen, Anthony Doyle and Frank McCartin. "Springtime" was sung by George Lynch, and Miss Mae Whitely gave a fetching number. The closing chorus, "If It's Good Enough for Washington, It's Good Enough For You," was a rattler. It was noticed that few were present except the regular clientele of the Y. M. C. I., these who know what a good performance the society can give.

Dancing began at 10 o'clock, to music by the Calumet orchestra, and continued until midnight.

GRANITEVILLE

The county commissioners and engineers will meet at the depot in Graniteville on Friday at 10.30 a. m. to discuss the improvement of the village streets.

LIBERALS FEAR

Churchill May Lose His Seat

THE LIBERAL LEAD OF 2865

Was Cut to 8 by Tariff Reformer

LONDON, May 6.—There seems no longer room for doubt that the country is being rapidly converted to Joseph Chamberlain's tariff reform policy. The campaign at Wolverhampton was fought almost entirely on this issue. This is admitted by the liberal newspapers, which do not attempt to disguise the severity of the blow the government has sustained.

The declining popularity of the present government was again revealed yesterday by the result of the bye-election in Wolverhampton to replace Sir Henry Fowler, who, as Viscount Wolverhampton, took his seat in the house of lords. The liberals retained the seat in the commons, but by a bare majority of 8, against a majority of 2865 in 1906, the result of today's election being as follows: G. R. Thorne, liberal, 4514; L. S. Amery, unionist, 4506.

Mr. Amery, who so nearly captured the seat for the protectionists, is one of the ablest and most advanced advocates of tariff reform. He is a strong imperialist, with a brilliant reputation as a student of economics and military questions.

Premier Asquith is to make his budget statement on Thursday, and if this should impose any further unpopular taxation the growth of opinion against the government and in favor of tariff reform may become still more rapid.

The unionist press attributes the remarkable revulsion of public opinion to the bad reaction in trade following a few years of booming commerce which rendered Mr. Chamberlain's personal campaign nugatory.

The Wolverhampton result makes it gravely doubtful whether Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, will secure his seat at Dundee, where he is contesting the vacancy caused by the elevation to the peerage of Edmund Robertson.

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ANNUAL MEETING

Of Quarter of Century Club Held Last Evening

The annual meeting of the Quarter-of-a-Century club of the J. C. Ayer Co. was held at the club room last evening, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, David Dewar; vice president, Solon S. Whithed; secretary, J. A. Bailey; treasurer, J. A. Garmon.

The membership of the club and the number of years which have elapsed since each entered the employ of the J. C. Ayer Co., is given here:

Thomas Wood, 47 years; Solon S. Whithed, 47; John McSorley, 45; Hugh Owens, 45; C. Oliver Barnes, 42; J. Q. A. Ferguson, 42; Mary Hanscom, 39; C. F. Calnan, 38; David Dewar, 38; J. A. Garmon, 38; Sophia Bourbeau, 38; H. H. Davis, 37; Annie Jackson, 36; Chas. Anderson, 35; Nellie Sullivan, 32; Stephen N. Barker, 30; J. A. Bailey, 29; Annie Murphy, 29; Harry Bellamy, 28; Joseph Desso, 27; Nellie Burnham, 27; William O. Howitt, 27; Albert E. Lombard, 27; Wm. E. Sawyer, 26; Frank Livermore, 25.

Following the usual custom of the club in celebrating the anniversary of the birth of Dr. J. C. Ayer, the members will enjoy an outing in Boston and vicinity next Saturday, May 9th.

DAVID DEWAR,
President Quarter Century Club.

MILK STANDARD

Battle to Be Fought in Senate Saturday

CHAMPIONS MARSHALLING FORCES

Rep. Coffin Discusses the Situation

BOSTON, May 6.—The state board of health yesterday asked the senate till Thursday to consider the questions submitted to it on the milk standard.

As a result, the matter, which was on the calendar for action yesterday, has been postponed for another week.

Senator Cowee, the generalissimo of the army for a reduced standard, and his lieutenants, Representatives Crane, Coffin and Todd, are already preparing for the battle. They said yesterday that, while the opposition in the senate was becoming active, the real fight would be in the house of representatives.

Representative Coffin, who is opposed to any standard at all, will lead the forces in the lower chamber. He said he would devote all the attention possible to the skimmed milk plan.

"It is impossible to tell," he said, "how much milk is skimmed before it is sold. The testimony of most farmers before the committee that nearly all that goes through the hands of contractors is by them run through separators, after which cream is given back to bring the milk up to the standard required by law. What is needed more than any set butter fat standard is a law that will make it possible to prevent this skimming, but at present I am in doubt as to the way to get it, except by keeping inspectors at the milk plants as they are kept at the slaughter houses.

"It is my personal belief that the consumer would get much better milk if he got it just as it came from the cow. Milk that comes from a healthy cow is good milk, and I believe we should direct our efforts to devising a method of having it reach the consumer without tampering."

Representative Todd is also a believer in the pure-milk-under-a-guarantee theory, although he declares that he is afraid to remove the standard. Representative Crane also believes in milk untampered with.

Senator Cowee, on the other hand, is having his work cut out for him in the senate, and yesterday fought hard for his amendments to the bill authorizing the state board of health and the dairy bureau, sitting jointly, to make regulations relative to the sale of milk.

There were two of them, the first providing that the act shall apply to milk "produced for sale" in this state, while the other provided that "no milk shall be offered for sale in this commonwealth unless the local board of health certify that it is produced under conditions approved by the state board of health and dairy bureau."

Both amendments were killed and the bill passed to engrossment as originally offered by Senator Treadway.

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STATE SENATE

Killed the Anti-Injunction Bill

AND SAVED LIEUT. GOV. DRAPER

Three Senators Voted Against Their Report

BOSTON, May 6—With every senator on record, except President Chapple, the anti-injunction bill, which had triumphantly passed the house after a favorable report from the recess committee on labor, was defeated yesterday afternoon by a vote of 15 to 22.

Its defeat was marked by an attack by Senator Vahey upon three senators who shifted on the bill. It was charged that the bill was killed to save Acting Governor Draper, who is to be the republican nominee this fall, from embarrassment.

The three senators, as members of the recess committee on labor, had voted in favor of a bill precisely like that which they voted against on roll call.

The battle put up in the senate chamber by the opponents of the bill, and the shifting of votes, recalled the famous session of three years ago, when the overtime bill, now a law, was defeated.

The methods adopted to defeat that bill resulted in the retirement from political life of the men concerned in them, and the enactment of the bill the following year almost with opposition.

The three men who changed their votes yesterday are: Senator Faxon of Stoughton, Senator Potter of Worcester and Senator Fisk of Boston. The three men signed a report supplementary to the report of the committee, in which they recommended the amendment of the bill, as the senate amended it before the adverse vote was taken.

MAY SELL HALL

L'Union St. Joseph Considering Change

L'Union St. Joseph is considering the advisability of selling its building, St. Joseph's hall, in Dutton street. A committee composed of Isidore Turcotte, Joseph Provost, Azarie Choquet, Pascal Harnois and Evariste Bertrand has been appointed to consider the matter and report on the advantages of such a course.

At the time of the building of St. Joseph's hall, the union, which with the exception of its old neighbor, the Societe St. Jean Baptiste, claims seniority over all other French-American societies, was in a highly prosperous condition, with about 500 members belonging. The ranks have now considerably diminished, and it is generally understood that the sale of the hall is deemed advisable for financial reasons.

PELHAM

Mr. Charles W. Sherburne, formerly of the town of Pelham, but now of Boston, has presented the town a beautiful oil painting. The title of the picture is "Fete Day—Bay of Naples," and is by N. Briganti. It has been hung in a prominent place in the public library.

In addition to the above gift Charles W. Hobbs reports that he has received from Mr. Sherburne a check for $100 which is to be used to purchase new books for the library.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

CONG. AMES' BILL

HON. BUTLER AMES, M. C.

Heard by Railway Committee of the Legislature

Congressman Ames' measure to permit electric railroad companies to operate and maintain elevated and subway structures longitudinally in a public way or place of a city or town, was discussed before the committee on street railways of the legislature at the state house in Boston yesterday.

Before Congressman Ames spoke Mr. John H. Bickford was allowed to explain some amendments to the bill, which he offered. One amendment related to the damage clause, bringing the provisions of the bill directly under chapter 448 of the acts of 1907. Another amendment provided that locations through parkways and boulevards controlled by the commonwealth should not be granted without special legislation, and gave the approval of such locations to the railroad commissioners.

Another was to so amend the bill that the railroad commissioners may locate such structures or subways where they do not violate existing laws, as in case of commons or parks in cities, cemeteries and the like reservations.

He pointed out that his amendments especially excepted the city of Boston and gave to cities and towns the right to acquire by purchase the subways that the electric roads might build within five years after their construction.

Congressman Ames then addressed the committee and said that the Public Franchise league having withdrawn its objection to his measure, the only opposition to it now comes from Mr. Bentley W. Warren. Continuing the congressman said:

"I don't believe that it is the policy of the commonwealth that the Boston Elevated Railway company shall build the only elevated structures in the city of Boston. This bill is to enable other lines to have the opportunity of getting into this city. We have spent many thousands of dollars; we own our right of way into the city of Lowell for nearly two miles, and there is only a question of a subway. We ought to have a place to get into the city of Boston. It would be manifestly absurd for us to transport our passengers over a high-speed railway only to Arlington Heights and then put them into Boston over the Boston Elevated surface lines. That would not be rapid transit. We from the north, east, west and south, have got to get into this city and we ask the opportunity to go over private lands."

"Our petition to the railroad commissioners was turned down most improperly, and rather absurdly, if you analyze their reasons," continued Mr. Ames. "The excuse they gave for refusing us a certificate of exigency for the Boston & Lowell interurban, although it had passed the house last year unanimously and was only turned down in the senate, was that because the legislature had refused to pass our bill, therefore the interurban act should be made inoperative. Now, I am sure that the commonwealth doesn't propose that the Boston Elevated or any other railway company should be the only one to enter into the interurban plan. It is a short-sighted policy in every way. I would like to ask any member of this committee or of the legislature what specific objection there is to such a general bill as this."

A. G. Walsh, president of the Lowell board of trade, said that that body favored the measure as did the people of Lowell and the surrounding towns.

Rep. O'Donnell, who is a member of the committee, strongly favored the bill. He said that the people of Lowell want faster time between Lowell and Boston and they want a reduction in freight and express rates.

Bentley W. Warren, of the Boston & Northern, said he was agreed that so far as the locating of electric roads irrespective of local authorities was concerned by the railroad commissioners, that was what should be done, but he did think that this committee and the legislature ought to consider very carefully whether there is any necessity for so sweeping an application of the law as is proposed by this legislation. He said the bill did not provide for the creation of a damage fund by deposit with the state treasurer, as is now the almost universal law with regard to other public-service corporations. This bill said nothing about damages by subways.

Attorney William H. Coolidge, representing the Boston & Maine, said if there were any damages the companies ought to pay for them; if there were no damages the abutters won't get them. He had two objections to be measured principally. The first was, that it is the duty of this committee, representing the public interest, to see to it that the public interest, and not corporations, determine whether there shall be an elevated railway or a subway, and therefore this bill is defective, because it leaves it to the corporations to determine. His second point was, that if anybody has been damaged, there isn't any earthly reason why the corporation should get away with the goods without paying for them.

THE G.A.R. LADIES

Newton Circle Will Decorate Graves

Jane B. Newton circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., was held last night in Memorial hall, there being a large attendance. Sister Maude N. Rundlett was appointed corresponding secretary for the circle. The circle has accepted an invitation to attend services Memorial Sunday at the First Baptist church. This year the circle will decorate the graves of several veterans and sisters. They voted to send bouquets to several veterans who, through disability would not be able to attend the services Memorial day. They will hold their next social at Sister Drew's, 119 Warwick street, May 14.

MOUNTED TROOPS

Ordered Out to Fight "Nightriders"

COLUMBUS, O., May 6—Troop B, the mounted troop from Columbus of the Ohio national guard left today on a special train over the Norfolk and Western road for Portsmouth where they will be transferred to Ripley and will then go to the tobacco district in Brown county where the tobacco farmers ar terrorized by the "nightriders" from Kentucky. The troop will patrol the river from Aberdeen to Higginsport.

BIG WHIST PARTY

Held in St. Joseph's College Hall

A well attended whist party was held in St. Joseph's college hall last night under the auspices of L'Association de Notre Dame de Bonsecours, for the benefit of the new organ at St. Jean Baptiste church. Maxime Lepine was general director and he was assisted by the following judges:

Thomas Berube, Jesse Alexander, Wm. Brautigan, Epiphane Labrie, Auguste Jodoin, Joseph A. N. Chretien. After the whist there was a very pleasing concert, consisting of the following numbers:

Piano duet, overture from "Tancred," Misses Alma and Ernestine Alexander; song, "Le Petit Soldat," Dr. Nolet; piano solo, Miss Beatrice Delaronde; piano solo, "Berceuse," Miss Alma Alexander; comic song, George Labranche; piano duet, Misses Blanche Jodoin and Regina Caron; comic song, Elzear J. Larochelle; violin duet, David Corneiller and Ernest Belanger, with piano accompaniment by Alberic Ducharme, Miss Ernestine Alexander was the accompanist of the evening.

The prize winners were E. Gagnon, A. Allard, S. Carrier, Jesse Alexander, A. Corneiller, James Thurber, Abraham Masson, Clara Roussel, Bertha Lussier, Lumina Lussier, Agnes Levasseur, A. Champagne, E. Bordeaux, Eucharistе Bellefeuille, W. Forget, Elise Lessard, E. Labrie, Alma Alexander, Edmond Prudholmme, Eva Labrie, Anna Champagne, Arthur Condon, Elodie Gagnon, Jules Duchesne, George Labranche, Mrs. Labranche, Henri Sigman, Stephanie Cinq-Mars, Agnes Lemay, Arthur Laporte, Mrs. Ryan, Joseph Jacques, Mrs. Joseph Bedard, Mrs. Pierre Gagnon, Lumina Savard, T. Berube, Maxime Nadeau, Emilia Boisvert, A. Dubois, Lucie Dubois, P. Harnois, Flore Bissonnette, Annie Lemay, L. E. Laliberte, Joseph Bellefeuille, Alice Lemay, Mrs. Geoffroy, Arthur Geoffroy, A. Lasante, Henri Vincent, Eva Dumont, Alma Vigeault, Mary Perreault, Alexandrine East, D. Grenier, E. Gagne, Antoine Gamache, Emma Potvin.

The organization committee was composed of Mrs. Marie Helene Jacques, president; Mrs. Louise Legare, treasurer; Miss M. L. Gagnon, secretary; Mrs. Charles H. Boisvert, Mrs. Adele Berube, Mrs. Albert Bergeron, Mrs. Pascal Harnois, Mrs. Joseph Rivard, Miss Minnie Russell, Miss Marie Trudel, Miss Elodie Gagnon, Miss Rosanna Gagnon, Miss Philomene Demers, Mrs. Eugene Savard, Miss Albina Alexander, Miss Sophie Bourbeau.

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BILLERICA NOTES

Officers for Fire Companies Chosen

The engineers of the fire department met last night and appointed the captains and lieutenants for the two Billerica fire companies. The following were named:

Steamer Company No. 1, Charles J. Nugent, captain; Edward R. Costello, lieutenant; hose company, No. 2, Earnest Bartlett, captain, Walter Fuller lieutenent.

Each company held a meeting tonight to choose the other officers called for in the rules of the department. Hose company 2 elected Chester Wright, clerk and treasurer; Edward A. Barker, steward. The standing committee named is comprised of the following members: George Dole, Chas. Wright and Chester Page. Charles Morris, who has been connected with the company for nearly 14 years and who has given excellent service during that time, tendered his resignation, owing to ill health.

Steamer Company No. 1 will fill its elective offices next Friday evening, last night's meeting being adjourned until that time. Copies of the new constitution and by-laws recently adopted by the board of engineers were passed out to the firemen of both companies.

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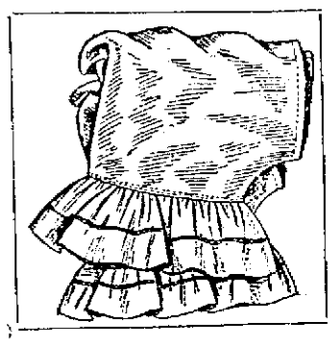

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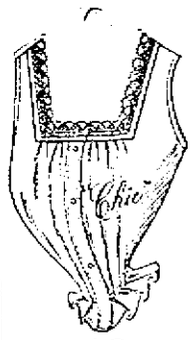
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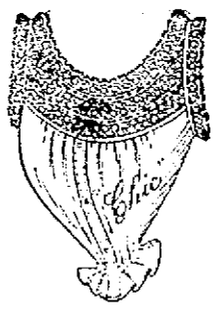
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BAND MUSIC ON SUNDAY

WITH ALL DUE RESPECT TO SUPT. MOFFATT AND HIS AUTHORITY WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT HE WENT TOO FAR IN UNDERTAKING TO PREVENT A BAND TURNING OUT WITH A LOCAL CELEBRATION ON SUNDAY, MAY 31.

ONE OF THE REASONS GIVEN FOR SUCH ACTION, WE UNDERSTAND, IS THAT THERE IS NO LAW AUTHORIZING THE APPEARANCE OF BANDS AT PUBLIC PARADES OR CELEBRATIONS ON SUNDAY. IT WOULD BE MORE IN ACCORD WITH LAW AND COMMON SENSE IF THE SUPERINTENDENT LOOKED FOR A LAW TO FORBID THE APPEARANCE OF BANDS ON SUNDAY BEFORE HE ISSUED HIS EDICT OF PROHIBITION.

FOR OUR PART WE CAN SEE NOTHING WRONG IN A PEACEABLE AND ORDERLY PROCESSION BY A LAW-ABIDING AND RESPECTABLE BODY OF MEN WHETHER THEY ARE CELEBRATING AN EVENT OF THEIR FRATERNITY OR ONE OF A RELIGIOUS CHARACTER. IF IT IS FORBIDDEN SUCH SOCIETIES TO HAVE A BAND ON THE STREET THEN THEIR RIGHTS AND THE RIGHTS OF EVERY CLASS OF CITIZENS ARE INVADED AND IF THIS BE TOLERATED IT MAY ULTIMATELY BECOME NECESSARY TO ASK MR. MOFFATT FOR PERMISSION TO WALK THE STREETS OR EVEN TO BREATHE.

IT IS NOT OFTEN THAT BANDS APPEAR ON THE STREETS OF LOWELL, BUT THERE ARE OCCASIONS WHEN THEIR PRESENCE MAY BE REQUIRED SO THAT THE RIGHT SHOULD NOT BE ABROGATED.

WE FIND THAT IT IS RECOGNIZED AS LEGAL TO LET THE SALVATION ARMY MARCH WITH MUSIC ALONG THE STREETS, IT IS SIMILARLY RECOGNIZED AS LEGAL TO HAVE BAND CONCERTS ON SUNDAY IN PUBLIC PARKS AND COMMONS AND EVEN TO ALLOW THE STEAM HURDY GURDIES OF FLYING HORSES TO KEEP UP THEIR THRENODIES MORNING, NOON AND NIGHT ON SUNDAY.

FURTHERMORE, IT IS NOT UNCOMMON TO HEAR PHONOGRAPHS PLAYING AS ONE PASSES ALONG THE STREETS ON SUNDAYS. NOW IF SUPT. MOFFATT'S CONTENTION IS GOOD, NOT ONLY WILL BANDS BE STOPPED BUT THE SALVATION ARMY MUST CEASE TO USE THE CORNET, THE DRUM AND THE TAMBOURINE; CONCERTS IN PUBLIC PLACES OF AMUSEMENT MUST BE OUTLAWED THAT THE PEOPLE OF THESE PARTS MAY REMAIN IN THEIR HOMES PRESERVING A DEGREE OF QUIETUDE AND SOLEMNITY THAT WOULD SUGGEST A CITY OF QUAKERS.

IF A CHURCH OR A RELIGIOUS SOCIETY DESIRES TO BRING OUT A BAND ON SUNDAY IN A CHARITABLE, PATRIOTIC OR SEMI-RELIGIOUS CELEBRATION, WE BELIEVE THERE SHOULD BE NO PROHIBITION, IT MATTERS NOT WHETHER THEY ARE JEWS OR GENTILES, CATHOLICS, PROTESTANTS, MAZDAZNANS OR MOHAMMEDANS.

THE MUSIC OF A BAND CANNOT BE REGARDED EITHER AS A PUBLIC DISTURBANCE OR A DESECRATION OF THE SABBATH AND CANNOT, THEREFORE, COME UNDER THE CATEGORY OF THINGS PROHIBITED ON THE SABBATH DAY.

WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE LOCAL GREEKS WERE AT FIRST OPPOSED BY SUPT. MOFFATT IN THEIR DESIRE TO HAVE A BAND HEAD THEIR PARADE IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEDICATION OF THEIR NEW CHURCH. IT WAS MAINLY ON ACCOUNT OF HIS OPPOSITION ON THIS SCORE THAT THEY PUT OVER MARKET STREET AN ARCH INSCRIBED "LONG LIVE LIBERTY."

IF THERE IS A LAW AGAINST BANDS IN A SUNDAY PARADE OF A SEMI-RELIGIOUS CHARACTER THEN SUPT. MOFFATT IS NOT TO BLAME FOR BEING TOO OFFICIOUS. BUT IF THE SUPERINTENDENT WITHOUT SUCH A LAW UNDERTAKES TO IMPOSE RESTRICTIONS UPON THE RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES OF CITIZENS HE MAY EXPECT THAT THERE WILL BE A VIGOROUS KICK AND ONE THAT WILL NOT DOWN AT HIS BIDDING. IT IS PROBABLY FORTUNATE THAT THE EDICTS OF SUPT. MOFFATT ARE NOT LAW.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY AS NOW CONSTITUTED WILL NEVER ELECT A PRESIDENT ON AN ANTI-GAMBLING PLATFORM. IF THE HUGHES BOOMERS IN NEW YORK WOULD KEEP THIS IN MIND THEY MIGHT MAKE MORE PROGRESS FOR THEIR CANDIDATE. PLAIN GAMBLING IS HARMLESS SPORT COMPARED TO THE PUBLIC PLUNDER AUTHORIZED BY THE PARTY IN MAINTAINING SOME OF THE OUTRAGEOUS TARIFF SCHEDULES. SOMETHING OF AN ANTI-PANIC PLATFORM IS WHAT IS NEEDED AT THE PRESENT TIME.

SEEN AND HEARD

German painters are competing for a unique prize offered by the German emperor, says the Berliner Borsen Courier. The kaiser wishes to give to the Emperor Francis Joseph as a jubilee present a lifesize portrait of himself in the uniform of a general wearing a helmet, and, contrary to his usual custom, has not intrusted the work to an artist selected by himself but has invited competition. Many sketches are now being made, and the painter whose work pleases the kaiser most will receive the order. It is generally believed that the artist whose picture flatters most effectively will win the prize.

Teacher—If a vehicle with two wheels is a bicycle, and one with three wheels a tricycle, what is one with only one wheel?

Scholar—A wheelbarrow.

"I want some collars for my husband," said a woman in a hosiery shop. "but I am afraid I have forgotten the size."

"Thirteen and a half, ma'am?" suggested the assistant.

"That's it. How on earth did you know?"

"Gentlemen who let their wives buy their collars for 'em are almost always about that size, ma'am," explained the observant one.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

NEW STYLES ARE RARE.

Boston Herald: Dr. A. Hamilton Rice, back from his extensive travels and researches in South America corrects a great many popular notions concerning the habits and general appearance of the natives of that dark region and at the same time confirms certain others. There are the costumes of the ladies, for instance. There seems to have been no perceptible change in the dressmakers' fashions there since the dawn of creation.

ENGLAND AND JAPAN.

Baltimore American: When England entered into her pact with Japan she was influenced by her desire to safeguard the frontiers of India. She also expected by the spirit of reciprocity thus engendered to act in harmony with Japan in the commercializing of China. But there is no real tie of interest between the Japanese and the English traders, and the people of the latter country are waking to the realization that for a theoretical advantage they have seriously hampered themselves in the direction of their natural activity, the development of new markets.

CANADIAN WOOD PULP.

Philadelphia Record: There is no basis for the fear that we took the duty off wood pulp Canada would impose an export duty. In the first place, Canada is not the only other source of supply; a good bit of wood pulp comes from Europe. Further than that, all the Canadian interests are reported on good authority to be favorable to the exportation of wood pulp to the United States. Canada's forests of spruce are so vast that there is not the least fear of their exhaustion, and the Dominion government as well as the commercial classes of Canada would be glad to see the export business increased. But it is not likely that it would be. The paper trust could meet foreign competition, and would do it fast enough if it had to.

CATHOLIC CENTENARY.

The Churchman: The Roman Catholic church in this land can point to something more than numerical increase, striking as that is in the history of religious organization. There has been, besides, a working out of spiritual tendencies and religious convictions, in a unique environment, with unique results. The successes of Roman Catholics may be justly ascribed to their adherence to primary principles in religious work. They have performed the immediate duties of the present. The work of their church in America is with the great masses of the people. The response to this policy is written in the history of these hundred years. On the basis of a democratic religious appeal, penetrating and assimilating the masses of people of most diverse origin and traditions, there has been built up a church administration which has visible and beneficent results throughout American life. In this experience there is more than a hopeful outlook for Roman Catholics themselves. Painstaking, consecrated pastoral work always brings its reward. What Roman Catholics have accomplished for the vast mass of humanity has been done in the face of problems so difficult and complicated that, as a rule, other Christian communions have passed them by.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Elder Archie Brown of Fort Branch has an old record that carries the imprint of early days. The book belongs to the record of the Primitive Baptist church at Pigeon, Warrick county, in what was then the Territory of Indiana. The first entry in the book was made in the year 1816. It shows an entry in June, 1823, where Thomas Lincoln and wife united with the Pigeon church, the former by letter, the latter by experience. Thomas Lincoln was the father of Abraham Lincoln and his wife was the stepmother of the president.

Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, who is heading his campaign in Dundee for a seat in the house of commons, was compelled to retire discomfited recently after a single handed combat with the suffragettes.

The minister had arranged to address a gathering of workmen during their dinner hour outside the Blackness foundry, but before he arrived a militant suffragette, Miss Maloney, drove up in a wagonette and appealed to the workmen not to listen to Mr. Churchill until he apologized for the accusations he made in a previous speech that the suffragettes in Beckham had allied themselves with the forces of drink and allowed themselves to be carried in men's arms in the streets.

Miss Maloney was very indignant about this charge and declared that if the men did not stop Mr. Churchill from speaking she would. She thereupon produced a big hand bell and clanged it defiantly amid laughter and ironical cheers from the crowd. At this moment Mr. Churchill arrived in an automobile.

"Here's the spring chicken we are looking for," exclaimed Miss Maloney, as she began again a fantasia on the dinner bell. Mr. Churchill doffed his hat smilingly as he passed the wagonette.

"He won't face me!" shouted Miss Maloney, and she added: "I won't let him speak. I'll follow him all over Dundee."

As she kept the bell busy, Mr. Churchill moved his automobile further on and started his speech. "Politics is a serious business," he began, but Miss Maloney had pursued him and drowned his further words with her bell. Mr. Churchill then sat down smiling resignedly and lighted a cigarete.

Mme. Emma Eames, under the guidance of Chief Croker, has inspected the fire department. She rode about to the different houses in Commissioner Hayes' automobile, and all along the line a lot of very proud and blushing firemen did their best stunts to win the singer's approval. Mme. Eames' verdict was that they are "perfectly darling."

The inspection trip came about through a remark Mme. Eames made to Chief Croker after she had sung last Friday at the Firemen's Memorial benefit at the Metropolitan Opera House that she had always wanted really to know some of the smoke eaters.

The first stop was made at the house of Engine Company 65 in West Forty-third street, where Mme. Eames went from the cellar to the club rooms on the third floor and marvelled at the cleanness of it all. At Engine 25's headquarters in West Fifty-eighth street Capt. George Bauer ordered out the engine, so that the visitor might see the men in action. The company had no sooner returned from the exhibition run down the street than a real alarm came in notifying the company to hold itself in readiness to respond on a third alarm. This was real business and Mme. Eames was delighted.

ILLICIT TRAFFIC

Smuggling Scheme Suspected at Cuttyhunk

NEW BEDFORD, May 6.—The arrest yesterday of Joseph Perry and Joseph Alves, the former an employe of the United States customs department, on the technical charge of keeping liquor illegally, has led to startling disclosures of a mammoth smuggling scheme, in which it is claimed the United States government has been defrauded of thousands of dollars.

Investigations made by the customs officials have involved the suspicion that inhabitants of the Island of Cuttyhunk, the entrance of Buzzard's Bay, have for years been smuggling in Portuguese liquor called Aguardiente.

It is believed by the officials that fishermen and other boat owners on the Island of Cuttyhunk have for a long time been making a practice of sailing out to the packet bearing immigrants from the island of Brava, taking off kegs of this native Portuguese liquor and storing it for weeks in their homes.

Then, it is believed, they have encased the liquor in barrels marked "fish" and shipped it to this city, where it has found a ready sale among the large Brava colony.

The exposure of the gigantic smuggling scheme was brought about by the arrest today by the local police of Joseph Perry, a watchman in the employ of the customs department.

The police raided his home on South Water street and took out several kegs of Aguardiente, one of the kegs having a spigot attached. Jose Alves, his next door neighbor, was also raided and more liquor was found in his home.

Perry, who is employed as an interpreter for the government to talk for the hundreds of Portuguese immigrants who arrive here in the course of the summer, has been in charge of the wharf where the packets come in.

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CAPTAIN HURLEY

Expects An Arrest in Mullins Case

SAYS HE KNOWS GUILTY ONE

Has Been Under Surveillance a Month

BOSTON, May 6.—It is now reported that the Arlington police, with the co-operation of the Cambridge authorities, are planning to make an arrest in the murder of Annie Mullins. The present suspect has been under surveillance for more than a month, and on April 5 Capt. Hurley of Cambridge sought to have him arrested.

"The man now sought as the murderer of Annie Mullins, in consequence of evidence furnished by Motorman Donnelly, who recalls having carried him on his car on the night of the tragedy, is the one whose arrest I demanded as far back as April 5," said Capt. Hurley of the Cambridge police last night.

Everything pointed to this suspect, and no matter where we turned we encountered evidence against him. I have never at any time seriously considered any one else.

"After weeks of investigation, myself and Inspector Nellan are convinced there is ample evidence to place the charge of murder against this man. So certain have we been that on April 5 I called the other officers who have been working on the case into my office and notified them that I intended to place this suspect under arrest at 9 o'clock that morning. The Arlington police, however, did not wish to make a formal arrest at that time.

"I figure that this man had been drinking on the day of the murder. He undoubtedly quarreled with the girl, and in a temper due, no doubt, as much to liquor as anything else, he killed her.

"The description furnished by Motorman Donnelly of the man who boarded his car near Porter's bridge that night and got off at Shepard street, which leads to Walker street, where Miss Mullins was employed, fits this particular suspect, and so do all of his movements that evening.

"What is more, he was seen in the vicinity. He undoubtedly was the person Mrs. von Jagemann saw Annie talking with at the door at 7 o'clock. Leaving a minute or two later, he had ample time to go as far as Porter's bridge for whatever he wanted and return on the car driven by Donnelly, which passed the bridge at 7.15. This brought him back to Shepard street and Massachusetts avenue about 7.20 to keep the appointment for which he told Donnelly he feared he was late.

"While it might be satisfying to locate the other passenger who was riding on the front platform when the suspect boarded it, his testimony is not essential. Donelly told me that he feels sure who the suspect is, because he asked him (Donnelly) the time, after calling him by name. Motorman Donnelly came to me on April 13 and submitted the evidence which was made public yesterday.

"The light complexioned young man interrogated today had no connection with the Mullins case."

The Arlington police searched all day yesterday for the other man who rode in the vestibule with Motorman Donnelly and the alleged murder suspect that night, but without success.

Should an arrest be made it would have to be on the request of the Arlington police. Such a development is expected.

BIG CONVENTION

Of Adventists to be Held Here

SUPT. GENERAL WILL ATTEND

Big Mass Meeting on Wednesday, May 13

Next week, May 14-17, inclusive, will witness the annual spring assembly of Pentecostal churches of the Nazarene of the N. E. district in the local church on First street. The committee on preparation and entertainment is expecting over 100 pastors and delegates. Dr. P. L. Biesee, the senior general superintendent from Los Angeles, Cal., will be present throughout the session.

The assembly proper will be preceded by a great mass meeting on Wednesday night, May 13th. The business sessions will be held from 10 a. m. until noon. The afternoon and evening services will be given over to preaching and the presenting of the general interest of the work, educational, missionary, etc.

The public is cordially invited to all the services.

Letter to Young Men

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EVEN INVALIDS ARE AFFECTED

Emergency Cases Shut Off Until June 1

WOBURN, May 6.—Local druggists are much wrought up because their right to dispense alcohol or liquors even medicinally and in cases of known emergency are suspended during the month of May. Several cases are reported where patients were dangerously ill with fever or suffering greatly with rheumatism and the alcohol prescribed by attending physicians could not be secured locally.

The license commissioners having refused to grant any druggists' licenses of the sixth class, the matter is up to the city council. The no-license regime started May 1, but the license commissioners' control does not cease under statute law until May 30, and the city council cannot act until June 1. This leaves the druggists hanging in the air for 30 days.

When the action of the commissioners was reported the druggists immediately applied to the state board of registration in pharmacy for certificates of fitness under which they might do a liquor business on physicians' prescriptions until such time as the city council may act. Mayor Blodgett, believing the state authorities should not be invoked until the local authorities have failed, has protested, and a hearing has been ordered.

It is probable, whatever the outcome, that the druggists will lose a month's trade along alcoholic and spirituous lines, and sufferers with illness will have to order supplies by express.

SHE WOULDN'T LET GO.

Yesterday's Webber demonstrative cooking lecture at the Appliance Store of the Lowell Gas Light company, John street, was good all the way. Those familiar with the architecture of this store will understand when it is stated that the house was packed to the roof. Tomorrow's lecture will begin at 3 o'clock.

At these lectures, one on entering the store is handed a silver spoon. Thus armed the visitor seats herself comfortably and awaits developments. Miss Webber proceeds with her lecture. She is a rapid talker but as she talks her fingers keep pace with her talking attachment, the result of which is most interesting to follow as she produces each dainty and appetizing dish. Then the dish is passed about the room and this is when the aforesaid spoon begins to work. Each listener is supposed to take a dip and taste and pass the article under discussion to her neighbor. One day last week the dish never got by one enthusiastic not to say hungry patron. She seemed to know a good thing. She wouldn't let go until she had cleaned up the dish, much to the disappointment of her neighbors, to the indignation of Mr. Nash and to the amusement of Miss Webber who realized she had made a hit.

However, the lady was well within her rights for she bought a gas range the very next day. Yes, she returned the spoon.

Dance with the Touring club tonight.

ADMIRAL EVANS

Again Commands the Atlantic Fleet

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., May 6.—The Atlantic battleship fleet sailed at 3 o'clock yesterday for San Francisco with Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans in command, closely followed by the torpedo flotilla.

At 8.30 yesterday morning the Connecticut went to Monterey to which point Admiral Evans had come by train. He was met at the wharf by a launch from the flagship.

Four picked seamen lifted the admiral from the train and placed him in an invalid chair and rolled him to the launch waiting at the end of the wharf. He walked down the ladder to the launch, leaning on a crutch and aided by two seamen, who assisted him at every step. The moment he was on board the launch shoved off and in a few minutes was alongside the Connecticut. Everything on the flagship was in readiness and the moment the launch came alongside ropes were lowered, attached to a chair and the admiral was hoisted in the air, the guy hauled in and the fleet commander was gently deposited on the deck of his old ship at the same instant the blue flag with the two white stars broke out at the masthead.

LAKEVIEW PARK

IT WILL PROBABLY OPEN MAY 30.

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SLAMMED AGAIN

The Lowells Are "Getting Used to it"

Good, Bad and Bum Ball Playing Characterized Lowell's Effort Against Haverhill—New Pitcher Had a Quick Finish

Billy Hamilton and his aggregation from the Shoe City down the river made their first appearance of the season at Washington park this afternoon. There were about three hundred fans in attendance, the slamming that the Lowell team got at Haverhill yesterday afternoon having a dampened effect on the local enthusiasts.

President Winn presented a new pitcher in the person of one Henley, who hails from Pennsylvania, but he lasted only half an inning. His playing was of such a nature that it was deemed advisable to relegate him to the bench. Kenniston took his place.

Umpire Mike O'Brien, he of the megaphonic voice, did the umpiring and called the game at 3.10.

FIRST INNING.

Neither side scored in the first inning. Billet opened with a base on balls and he went to second on Barton's sacrifice. Hamilton hit by Healey to Shannon and beat the ball to first. Boardman hit to Shannon who threw to second getting Hamilton and the ball was sent to first for a double play.

In Lowell's half Rhoddy flied out to Collins and Wolfe hit to Uniac and was out at first. Howard was third out on a fly to Courtney.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

SECOND INNING.

In the second inning Henley was taken out and Kenniston substituted. Courtney flied out to Shannon. Uniac hit to deep centre field for two bases, but he died on the second bag for Collins struck out and Perkins hit to Kenniston and was out at first.

In the latter half of the inning Duff hit in front of the plate and thinking that the ball as a foul did not run. He was tagged out by Perkins. Cotter flied out to Billet. Harris hit to left field for the first single for the home team. Shannon flied out to Billet closing the inning.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

THIRD INNING.

Both teams failed to score in the third inning. Barry hit to Wolfe and died at first. Billet secured a free pass and Barton followed with a fly which Cotter took care of. Billet tried to steal second base and was nailed.

In Lowell's half Duggan hit to Boardman and was out at first. Kenniston sent the ball over Hamilton's head in centre garden for a clean two bagger, but Rhoddy popped a foul fly which Collins took care of, and Wolfe was third out on a fly to Hamilton.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

FOURTH INNING.

The visitors went out in one, two, three order in the fourth inning. Hamilton, the first man up, flied out to Cotter. Boardman hit to Wolfe and was out at first while Courtney hit to Kenniston and met a similar fate.

In Lowell's half Howard flied out to Hamilton and Duff and Cotter went out on line drives to Uniac.

Score—Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

FIFTH INNING.

In the fifth inning Uniac hit a hot grounder which Shannon fumbled and the runner reached first. Collins struck out for the second time. Perkins hit a slow grounder to Harris and was out at first and Barry hit a high fly which Harris caught, and was the third out.

Lowell broke the ice in the latter half of the fifth and sent one man over the plate. Harris hit to Boardman who threw bad to first and he was safe. He went to second on a sacrifice by Shannon. Duggan hit to Boardman and was out at first, but Harris by clever running scored. Harris failed to touch third base, but the umpire did not notice it. Kenniston singled to right field. Rhoddy was third out, hitting to Barry and being retired at first.

Score—Lowell 1, Haverhill 0.

SIXTH INNING.

The visitors scored four runs in the sixth inning. Billet, the first man up, drew a base on balls for the third time. Barton bunted to Kenniston who threw to second to get Billet, but both men were safe. Hamilton bunted to Kenniston who threw perfectly to first, but Wolfe in covering the base fell down and the bases were filled. Boardman followed with a fly to Cotter, Billet scoring on the putout. Courtney hit to centre field and Howard threw the ball to Kenniston and the latter threw it to Duggan, getting Barton at the plate. Uniac then got a base on balls, filling the bases again. Collins then lined the ball out to deep left field for two bases, and all three men on base scored. Collins tried to get third and was thrown out. He was thrown out before the last man had crossed the plate, but the run was allowed.

The home team scored two runs in the latter half of the inning. Wolfe hit to Uniac who fumbled and he was safe. Howard advanced him with a single to centre field. On the throw to third he got Wolfe Howard went to second. Duff hit to Uniac and was out at first. Cotter hit to left field for a single, scoring Wolfe and Howard. Harris hit to right field for a single, but Shannon flied out to Courtney and Duggan flied out to Uniac.

Score—Haverhill 4, Lowell 3.

SEVENTH INNING.

In the seventh inning Perkins hit to Shannon who fumbled and the former was safe. Barry fanned the breezes. Billet flied out to Howard. Perkins then stole second, but Barton was third out on strikes.

In the latter half of the seventh Barry was put on the bench and Fullerton was put in to pitch. Lowell got a man as far as second but failed to score. Kenniston hit to Uniac and was out at first. Rhoddy flied out to Hamilton. Wolfe then sent the ball to deep right field for two bases, but Howard hit along the first base line and was out.

Score—Haverhill 4, Lowell 3.

EIGHTH INNING.

"Billy" Hamilton was the first man to bat in the eighth inning, and when he got a good ball over the plate he slammed it over the right field fence for a home run. Boardman hit to Shannon and the latter made his third fumble and the runner was safe. Courtney drew a base on balls. Uniac hit to Rhoddy who threw to third to get the runner, but the throw was slightly off color and the bases were filled. Collins and Perkins struck out. Fullerton also struck out.

Duff hit to Barton and was out at first. Cotter hit to deep centre field for two bases. Harris flied out to Billet. Shannon hit to Uniac and was out at first.

Score—Haverhill 5, Lowell 3.

NINTH INNING.

Billet got his base on balls for the fourth time. He went to second on a sacrifice by Barton. Hamilton hit to Shannon and beat the ball out to first for the fourth hit. Boardman flied out to Harris. Hamilton stole second. Courtney hit to right field, scoring Billet and Hamilton. Courtney stole second. Uniac struck out.

Dugagn hit o Boardman and was out at first. Kenniston hit to Unias and was out at first. Rhoddy hit to Barton and was out at first.

The score:

HAVERHILL.

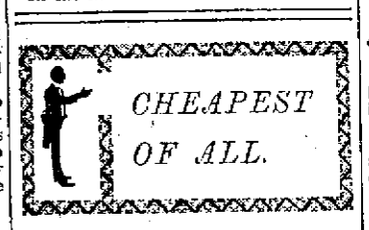
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Billet, lf	1	2	0	3	0	0
Barton, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Hamilton, cf	5	3	4	3	0	0
Boardman, 3b	4	0	0	0	4	1
Courtney, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Uniac, ss	3	1	1	3	4	1
Collins, 1b	4	0	1	14	1	0
Perkins, c	4	0	0	1	0	0
Barry, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Fullerton, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	7	8	27	13	3

LOWELL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Rhoddy, 1b	5	0	0	6	0	1
Wolfe, 2b	4	1	1	4	3	0
Howard, cf	4	1	1	1	1	0
Duff, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cotter, lf	4	0	2	3	1	0
Harris, 3b	4	1	2	3	0	0
Shannon, ss	3	0	0	1	2	3
Duggan, c	4	0	0	9	1	0
Henley, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Kenniston, p	4	0	2	0	4	1
Totals	36	3	8	27	13	5

Haverhill	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	2	—7
Lowell	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	—3

Two base hits—Uniac, Collins, Cotter, Wolfe, Kenniston. Home run—Hamilton. Double plays—Shannon, Wolfe and Rhoddy. Bases on balls—By Kenniston 5, by Henley 1. Struck out—By Kenniston 8. Stolen bases—Hamilton, Perkins, Courtney. Hits—Off Barry, 6 in 7 innings; off Fullerton, 2 in 2 innings; off Kenniston 8 in 8 innings. Time—2.10. Umpire—M. O'Brien.



Of all the forms of advertising, the cheapest and best is advertising in the daily newspapers. The cheapest newspapers are those with the largest circulation in their respective fields . . . . Handbills are wasteful, expensive and of little effect. Posters are played out, because they are costly and very uncertain in durability or effect. Signboards are expensive and short lived. The Daily Newspaper is the safest, surest and cheapest of all, and the best of the local papers is The Sun, because it has the largest circulation in Lowell.

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

7-20-4

10c CIGAR

Increased sales in past two months 437,000. Money's worth to consumer tells the story.

DIAMOND NOTES

Lowell at Glen Forest today.

Everybody wins but Lowell. They couldn't beat a drum.

Manager Winn is in New York trying to get Mike Donlin to play here, it is said.

Fred Lake has a six-year-old son who shows promise of becoming a ball player. Why not give him a try-out with Lowell?

Shannon just couldn't make his hands behave in yesterday's game.

Rhoddy needs a file or a soft pedal for his voice.

There's a concern on Market street that manufactures something for that tired feeling.

It was worth the price of admission to see Rube Kenniston strike out three men in succession with three on bases.

The netting was up on the foundry side yesterday. There appears to be need of a netting over the right field fence.

When Hamilton clouts the ball all wireless telegraphic messages should take a side street lest the ball destroy them. Billy certainly punctured several air currents when he cracked that home run.

Lawrence will play tomorrow and perhaps we may win. Perhaps.

It's a pleasure to listen to a man like Hamilton coach his team. While rather severe when the player is bad he never fails to acknowledge a good play.

The home team goes to Worcester Saturday. Here's hoping they're allowed to return.

A new pitcher named Henley was put in for half an inning. He tried to stop one of Billy Hamilton's grass-cutters with his unprotected hand and now he's playing "This little pig went to market" with the tips of his fingers.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The O. M. I. Cadets would like to arrange a game with any strong amateur team for May 9, and also for May 16. Send all challenges to James A. McManimon, 221 High street.

The Hilltops would like a game for next Saturday. T. Safford, 59 Talbot street. Telephone 1160.

The Methlands have organized for the season and will play any team under 13 years. H. Garrity, 445 Chelmsford street.

The Very Wells are looking for games for the season. Send challenges to Mr. Quinn, 11 Adams street.

James Riley, Manager of the Holy Name Society team of St. Michael's church, is anxious to arrange games with the strongest teams of the city averaging 13 years. Send challenges to Hampshire street.

The Chestnuts defeated the Young Oregons by a score of 16 to 8. The features of the game were the batting of Yates, Duffy, and the fielding of Keene, Thomas and McManus. Our lineup is as follows: Holland, c; Kirland, p; Sheehan, 1b; Duffy, 2b; Keene, 3b; Yates, ss; Dorothy, rf; McManus, cf; Thomas, lf. We would like to challenge the Cowboys under 13 years of age. Send all challenges to Fred Holland, capt., 61 Chestnut street.

The Emeries defeated the Wide-Awakes Saturday by the score of 5 to 4 in an interesting game. The features of the game were the batting of Allen and the fielding of Durkin. The batteries were Jenkins and Allen for the Emeries and Lovejoy and Shelden for the defeated nine.

The Batchelders were defeated by the Iolas last Saturday by the score of 4 to 8. Wilkins pitched a poor game for the Batchelders, letting five men walk, and being batted for 35 hits. Features were contributed by Walsh for the Batchelders, and Lane for the Iolas. The batteries were Woods and Beauleau for the Iolas, and Wilkins and Frasier for the Batchelders.

The Burnsides have an open date for Saturday afternoon, April 9. Our lineup is: R. Favor c, G. J. Birkenhead p, J. Walsh 1b, H. Jenkins 2b, C. Carter ss, G. Gill 3b, D. McClellan lf, A. Molley cf, Jessie Gill and Midget Regan are both trying for right field. Send all challenges to J. Walsh, 34 Burnside street, city. We claim the championship of the city under 16 years.

Well! Here we are again! Who? The Young Americans. We have played four games and won four. We would like to challenge the Elm Blues, or the Central Stars. We have a great pitcher and a fine shortstop and a star first-baseman. Our lineup is as follows:

Pitcher, Tom McArdle, manager; catcher, Joe Foster; 1st baseman, Walter Murray, captain; 2d baseman, Jim Foster; 3d baseman, Hap Foster; shortstop, Joe Duggan; left field, John Baltersby; centre field, Jim Keefe; right field, Henry Wood.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	12	7	63.2
New York	10	6	62.5
Cleveland	9	6	60.0
St. Louis	10	8	55.6
Chicago	8	8	50.0
Boston	7	11	38.9
Washington	6	11	35.3
Detroit	5	10	33.3

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 5, Boston 2.

At Chicago—Cleveland-Chicago game postponed, cold weather and rain.

At Washington—Washington-New York game postponed, wet grounds.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 2, Detroit 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	11	3	78.6
Pittsburg	8	4	66.7
New York	10	7	58.8
Boston	10	8	55.6
Philadelphia	8	9	47.1
Cincinnati	5	7	41.7
Brooklyn	7	11	38.3
St. Louis	3	13	18.8

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Boston 7, Brooklyn 1.

At New York—New York 4, Philadelphia 0.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg-Chicago, postponed—Rain.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lynn	4	0	100.0
Brockton	3	1	75.0
Haverhill	3	1	75.0
Fall River	2	2	50.0
New Bedford	2	2	50.0
Worcester	1	3	25.0
Lawrence	1	3	25.0
Lowell	0	4	00.0

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Fall River Fall—Fall River 2, Brockton 0.

At New Bedford—New Bedford 6, Worcester 4.

At Lawrence—Lynn 8, Lawrence 4.

At Lowell—Haverhill 7, Lowell 3.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lynn at Haverhill.
Worcester at Fall River.
Lowell at Lawrence.
New Bedford at Brockton.

(American League.)

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Cleveland at Chicago.

(National League.)

Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

MARTIN CANOLE

Defeated Frank Madden in Fifth Round

NEW BEDFORD, May 6.—Martin Canole of Fall River last night showed that he still has some of his old-time speed, by winning a quick victory over Frankie Madden of New York in their bout before the Jefferson A. C. Madden held his own for four rounds and landed frequently in the clinches, but failed to do any noticeable damage.

In the fifth Canole had apparently sized up his man to his satisfaction and started in to finish him. Two left swings to the stomach dropped Madden to his knees, and he got up only to stop a hard left to the jaw, which put him down for four seconds. Madden endeavored to clinch, but Canole found his jaw again. Canole falling over him as he dropped.

A right put Madden down for the count of six, and after two more knock-downs Madden's second threw a sponge into the ring. Madden was dazed and tried to get at Canole after the decision had been announced.

Canole, though too fat, showed considerable of his old-time agility, and his defensive work was excellent.

In the semi-final Young Craig of this city and Young Howe of Middleboro went eight rounds to a draw. The preliminary was a wrestling exhibition between Young Michaud and Young Florence, in either being able to secure a fall in 15 minutes' work.

About 600 saw the bouts, including a delegation of 200 from Fall River.

TOMMY RYAN

HAS QUIT THE FIGHTING GAME FOR GOOD.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Tommy Ryan has quit the fighting game for all time. The once great welterweight said today: "I've had enough. I will retire without having been beaten by a man of my own weight. That's good enough record for anybody to boast of, and it satisfies me right down to the ground.

"That fruit farm of mine at Fair Plain looks pretty good to me and I am going to stick there. The bad weather has put the fruit back a little, but I guess everything will come out all right.

"Only "Kid" McCoy has beaten me, and he was a light heavyweight and not even a middleweight. I never weighed over 148 pounds in my fighting days, and even now, with my overcoat on, I weigh only 175 pounds. Often when I was boxing I could do 143 pounds easily. That ought to show that almost every time I entered the ring I went out of my class.

"I claim that I retire middleweight champion, but, of course, that is not going to get me anything. But I will claim it just the same and see if I cannot make somebody mad."

It lacks only a few weeks of 20 years since Tommy Ryan became conspicuous as a pugilist. It was July 20, 1888, that he knocked out Joe Johnson in five rounds at Marion, Mich., that being his first important fight. In his 20 years he has fought 110 times, and in only three of those years has he kept out of the ring. His last bouts were with Dave Barry and Hugo Kelly late in the winter of 1907.

FOUGHT A DRAW

"MIKE" GANNON MADE A GRAND SHOWING.

BOSTON, May 6.—"Mike" Gannon of Pittsburg, Pa., who supplied the place of "Young" Erne of Philadelphia, at short notice, fought "Cyclone" Tommy Johnson, of Sacramento, Ills., 12 rounds to a draw at the Armory A. A., last night. The match was a fine exhibition of boxing.

HANGED HIMSELF

After He Had Chloroformed Daughter

CINCINNATI, May 6—Charles Kuppe, a musician, of Cleveland, chloroformed his imbecile daughter, aged 27, there yesterday and then hanged himself. He left a letter, the burden of which was that it was better that his daughter were dead than suffer and be a care to her mother, and that since chloroforming as favored by many who called themselves humanitarians had not been legalized he would kill himself.

Kuppe's letter defends the cult of Euthanasia, of which Miss Anna Hall, of this city, daughter of an Arctic explorer, has been high priestess. Miss Hall yesterday said that "Kuppe not only had a moral right to end the sufferings of his daughter, but it is a pity that he did not also a legal right.

"He should not have committed suicide, however," she continued. "He should have lived in order that in the courts there might be tested for the first time the right of one to put out of misery a fellow human being. I favor the relieving of imbeciles by death at their birth."

Miss Hall said she had in contemplation the forming of a society composed of those who believe as she does.

Follow the crowd to Mathew hall tonight.

BOWLING NOTES

Several Games of Interest Last Night

The Crescents won two points from the Favorites in a game in the Minor league series played on the Crescent alleys last night. The Favorites, however, had the total pinfall.

The single men and married men had at it at the Bridge Street Bowlaway last night the former winning by a narrow margin:

MINOR LEAGUE.

Favorites.

	1	2	3	T'l
Cole	84	75	84	243
Hastings	92	89	93	274
McCarthy	93	93	88	268
A. Judson	94	100	105	299
Colpitts	87	97	99	283
Totals	440	454	469	1359

Crescents.

	1	2	3	T'l
Labrie	92	91	99	282
Hennessy	103	74	94	271
King	75	78	95	248
Lenden	85	82	92	259
Boucher	84	94	98	276
Totals	434	419	478	1335

POLLARD'S CLERKS.

Married Men.

	1	2	3	T'l
R. Morren	75	83	81	239
C. Dellaronde	93	89	90	272
F. Dubois	85	83	83	251
Capt. Proulx	78	81	76	235
J. Sullivan	89	113	81	283
Totals	420	449	411	1280

Single Men.

	1	2	3	T'l
F. Blanchett	95	83	78	276
J. Lavalle	78	83	90	251
J. Gagnon	91	77	83	251
Capt. Burns	98	90	100	278
H. Coutu	83	90	88	261
Totals	451	423	423	1297

KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT.

	1	2	3	T'l
Sweatt	83	97	88	268
D. Simpson	80	73	72	225
Totals	150	170	154	493
B. Simpson	70	80	94	244
H. Janer	89	86	80	264
Totals	159	166	183	508

TO PRIESTHOOD

Lowell Men Will be Ordained Next Week

Rev. Omer Fortin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Fortin of 1 Hamel place, Ludlam street, will be ordained to the priesthood at Quebec, May 17, by Mgr. Begin, archbishop of Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Fortin have left for Canada, with their daughter, Miss Annie Fortin, to be present at the ordination. Before going to Quebec, they will go to Saint-Georges-de-la-Beauce, where another daughter, Miss Cecile, who is a student at the convent there, is to make her first communion on May 10. They will later visit in Cap Saint-Ignace. Mr. Fortin's native place.

The young cleric is a native of Cap Saint-Ignace, and pursued his theological studies a the seminary of Sante-Anne-de-la-Pocatiere.

BASEBALL

Washington Park, Thursday Afternoon

Lowell vs. Lawrence

Game called at 3.15

Reserved seats for all Saturdays and holidays on sale at Carter & Sherburne's and Willson's stores.

CRACKS IN EARTH

But Woburn People Felt no Shocks

MAIN FISSURE 600 FEET LONG

The Opening Nearly an Inch Wide

WOBURN, May 6.—The discovery was made Monday that the ground locally known as Pierce's field, an open tract of land near the western shores of Horn pond, which frequented by Sunday ball players, shows a series of well-defined cracks which hint at seismic disturbances, and yesterday many visited the locality to view for themselves the strange phenomenon.

The main fissure is possibly 600 feet long, running in an irregular course from the high ground bounding the ball field across the valley. This main opening is nearly an inch wide and extends downward until an angle in the sight makes its impossible to ascertain its exact depth. From the main line radiate in both directions 8 or 10 branches equally irregular in course and varying in length from 25 to 250 feet. Throughout the entire length the crack is clearly defined.

This section of the city is largely woodland and much of it is of a swampy meadow nature. There are no nearby residents. No earthquake shocks have been noted here, and public curiosity is aroused.

CHELMSFORD

The Women's guild of the Second Congregational church held a dramatic and musical entertainment in the town hall, last evening. The program was as follows:

Piano duet ..... Selected
Miss Marion W. Crowell and Miss Gladys Swain.
Short story, "The Clanging Hours." Morrison
Miss Dorrell Fuller.
Contralto solo ..... Selected
Mrs. Charles H. McIntire.
Monolog, "The Family Plate." Phillips
Miss Mabelle Thayer.
Violin solo ..... Selected
Mr. Alfred S. Levi.
Sketch:
a—"Bees" ..... Holmes
b—"Ballad of the Brook" .. Cameron
Miss Vesta Van Brunt.
Short story, "The Bringing-To of Flora May" ..... Newman
Miss Ruby Gaines.
Contralto solo ..... Selected
Mrs. Charles H. McIntire.
Monolog:
a—"School Days" ..... Lincoln
b—"A Boston Ballad" ..... Unknown
Miss Arville Piggott.
Violin solo ..... Selected
Mr. Arville Piggott.
Violin solo ..... Selected
Mr. Alfred S. Levi.
Comedy in one act—"Madam DePortment's School," Winkinson.
Characters:
Madame DePortment,
Miss Elizabeth Krontz of West Virginia.
Mabel Frolics
Miss Vesta Van Brunt of South Dakota,
Gertrude Smiles,
Miss Arville Piggott of Massachusetts,
May Frisky,
Miss Dorrell Fuller of Texas
Jennie Slow,
Miss Ruby Gaines of Tennessee
Bridget, a servant,
Miss Mabelle Thayer of Massachusetts.

NOTICE

Mrs. A. F. Webber, 81 Merrimack st., wishes to announce to her many patrons that she will close her Hair Dressing Parlors on Thursday afternoons at 12.30 until further notice.

WALTER E. GUYETTE . . . AUCTIONEER

Office, Rooms 77-78 Central Block. Tel. 2415.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE OF A COTTAGE HOUSE AND STABLE ON MAIN STREET, IN NORTH ACTON, MASS., SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1908, AT 3 O'CLOCK P.M.

As I have moved into the city and therefore having no further use for my country home, I have instructed the auctioneer to sell by public auction this very attractive cottage house, stable of two stalls, and carriage room, and about one-quarter of an acre of land, more or less, situated on Main street, the same being the direct road to the well-known Nagog lake, where a number of people living in Lowell, Boston and other cities stay in summer. It comprises seven large and airy rooms, well lighted; steam heat in all the rooms, and a very fine cellar together with an extra good stable and one-quarter of an acre of land, more or less. This property is within plain view of, and only two minutes' walk of the railroad station, post office, etc. If you are looking for a little home in the village where it requires but very little ready money to buy, be sure to attend this sale. It is just what you want.

Terms are: $100 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms made known at the sale.

Immediately after the sale of the real estate, I will sell the contents of the same, including some fine furniture, consisting of carpets, commodes, rugs, pictures, china ware, etc.; also lot of stable effects. Terms of personal property, cash.

By order of MRS. LOTTIE B. HARRIS.

T. H. ELLIOTT - - Real Estate

C. E. Spalding, Auctioneer

Offices, 64 Central Street, Rooms 2 and 3.

ABSOLUTE SALE OF SWANN PROPERTY, 97 FREMONT STREET, AT PUBLIC AUCTION, PROPERTY CONSISTING OF MODERN TWO-STORY RESIDENCE AND STABLE.

Saturday, May 9th, at 4 P. M.

The above property is situated on one of the best residential streets in Centralville, within 15 minutes' walk of Merrimack square and two minutes from Christian Hill electrics. It has a frontage of 45 feet, and a depth of 156 feet, containing 4680 square feet. The house is square, colonial style and has a first-class Monson slate roof. There are eight excellent, square rooms, besides pantry and laundry; every room in the house is light and pleasant. The property is equipped with bath, hot water, etc. The house is also equipped and ready for occupancy as a two-tenement house, if so desired, there being four rooms on the first floor and four on the second. In the rear of the house is an excellent stable, provided with two stalls, and good carriage room. There is also a small shed between the house and stable, convenient for storage. The house is exceptionally well laid out, and of unusually fine construction. The buildings are all in fundamentally first-class shape, outside paint alone excepted.

This property is offered at absolute sale, solely owing to the fact that the owner has left Lowell permanently. The house will be open for inspection all day previous to the day of sale. A generous mortgage can remain at 5 per cent.

Terms: $500 to be paid to auctioneer as soon as struck off.

MARY E. SWANN.

GREAT FIRE SALE

AT

THE NEW IDEA SHOE CO.

119-121 Merrimack Street

40,000 PAIRS OF SHOES Saved from the big Portland Fire; wholesale stock of A. F. COX CO., one of the largest jobbing houses in New England, secured at auction at a fraction of its cost. ON SALE THURSDAY MORNING AT THE NEW IDEA SHOE CO., 119-121 Merrimack Street, offering the public

Shoes, Oxfords, Ties, Slippers, Sandals, etc.

At such ridiculous prices that the whole family can be supplied with footwear at a very low cost. For years no such an opportunity has ever been offered the public of Lowell. Prices that cannot fail to tempt shrewd buyers will be offered. We limit quantities to prevent dealers from stocking up at our fire sale prices.

NEW IDEA SHOE CO., 119-121 Merrimack St.

THE LUNCH CARTS

Aldermen Give Permits to Occupy Public Streets

At a regular meeting of the board of aldermen held last night the night lunch carts that had been ordered from the streets by the superintendent of police were licensed and were doing business at the old stands before midnight. Never did the frankfort or the hamburger smell sweeter or taste better and the return of the night lunch was hailed with joy.

After receiving their licenses at the hands of the board of aldermen at the rate of $50 per copy the owners of the carts appeared before the board of police and procured common victualler's licenses. This, however, was on their part a matter of courtesy and not of right.

The new law that gave to the board of aldermen the right to govern the lunch cart license taking it entirely out of the hands of the police, states distinctly that no other license than that granted by the board of aldermen is necessary for the operation of the lunch cart in the public streets and City Solicitor Hill says that goes.

The board drew 20 jurors for the sitting of the superior criminal court that comes in at Cambridge, May 16.

Chairman Read called the board to order at 8.20. A raft of recommendations by the street and sewer committees was adopted.

The applications of the lunch cart men for licenses were taken up. Martin Mack made two applications, one for a stand at the corner of Market and Central streets and another at the corner of Central and Green streets. John Burns made application for a stand in Paige street, Morris W. Mulcahy for a license at Central and Jackson streets and John Mack for a license at Jackson and Thorndike streets. All of the applications were referred to the committee on licenses.

A recess was taken for the purpose of giving the committee on licenses, Aldermen Bailey and Comerford, time and opportunity to make recommendations.

The committee met in the mayor's reception room and recommended that all licenses with one exception, be granted and the recommendation was voted unanimously. The one exception was John Mack's license. It was objected to by Thomas Henderson who said he had paid $2000 for a lunch cart and had leased land from the Boston & Maine railroad which he intended to occupy. He leased the land, he said, believing that the lunch carts had been driven from the public streets "for keeps" and inasmuch as the land which he leased is within a few feet of the spot where Mr. Mack's lunch cart has stood for a year or more, he would object and believed that the committee should consider his investment. The committee voted to give a hearing on the Mack petition. Alderman Bailey was for giving John Mack his license along with the rest. He could not see why the committee should consider any speculation on the part of a man who had leased land and bought a cart; that was none of the committee's affair, he thought. John Mack was there first, he said, and if investment was to be considered one man's investment was as good as another's. Mr. Bailey had a good argument but in order that all of the licenses would not be held up he consented to a hearing on the John Mack license.

Chief Hosmer of the fire department asked for an additional appropriation of $3000 for underground wires. This was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Charles H. McIntyre petitioned to move a building from Westford street to Princeton street, and a hearing was voted.

The following jurors were drawn by Alderman Cheney:

John D. Turner, 42 Columbus avenue, machinist.

Alcide A. Parent, 67 Varney street, clerk.

James G. Marshal, 1067 Gorham street, clerk.

Arthur E. Hatch, 494 Westford street, clerk.

Arthur Lavoie, 1 Regina place, grocer.

Charles E. Tilton, 103 South Walker street, compositor.

Alexis D. Sargent, 29 Hanks street, clerk.

Merrill Peltier, 120 Avon street, confectioner.

Arthur J. Cumminskey, 167 Walker street.

Thomas F. Fee, 198 Concord street, tailor.

Patrick F. Nestor, 9 Aldrich street, janitor.

Martin O'Meara, rear of 55 Cedar street, dealer.

William H. Walsh, 86 Congress street, dyer.

Michael Donoghue, 4 Hazeltine street, machinist.

Arthur C. Grimwood, 197 Appleton street, clerk.

Herbert A. Wright, 86 Willie street, clerk.

Charles L. Blake, 29 Anne street, engraver.

William D. Brown, 150 Third street, real estate.

William Calderwood, 424 High street, cigars and tobacco.

John F. Allen, 9 Whiting street, loomfixer.

George Fortin was confirmed as a surveyor of lumber.

The recommendations of the street committee as recently published in The Sun were adopted.

The recommendation that an appropriation of $12,000 for macadamizing Harvard, Royal and Smith streets and altering the East Merrimack street bridge, was adopted.

That a sewer be laid in Chelmsford street, Stevens street and Belle avenue at a cost of $3000 was voted.

The board voted an appropriation of $150 for the rental of a place in Railroad street for the sealer of weights and measures.

POLICE BOARD MET

Continued.

Sons Co. in Tanner St. said that his business was practically confined to trade with wholesale dealers. He said his purpose in responding to the invitation was to inquire if the board had any authority to make him report what he purchased from retail dealers. He was informed that it was not necessary for him to report what he purchased from the wholesale dealers, but that it was necessary to do so when he bought from collectors.

David Ziskind said he did not buy much from the junk collectors the greater part of his business being confined to trade with wholesale dealers.

M. Cohen, one of the oldest Hebrews in the city when years of residence are considered, thought he would get away with a voluminous flow of words, but his long story got him into trouble and his application for a renewal of license was held up.

He said that he was willing to sign a report every day, but understood but little English. He also intimated that his books were not kept in English, which is a violation of the law covering junk dealers.

Supt. Moffatt informed the board that he would advise that Mr. Cohen be refused a license if he did not keep his books in English. He said that the books had to be kept in English if a license was to be issued.

Mr. Cohen said he could not afford to engage a typewriter.

"The Hebrew nation does not come in here to do business in its own way," said Chairman Stearns. "There are certain things that you must do under the United States law. You must not hem nor haw about hard times. We are all in the same boat. You must find ways and means to keep the books in English."

Mr. Cohen said he was too old to go to school and learn English.

After some further conversation it was decided to lay Mr. Cohen's application for renewal on the table.

PARK HOTEL HEARING.

The next matter taken up was the petition of Gardner W. Pearson, who in a letter addressed to the board prayed that the matter of granting an innholder's license at the Park hotel, formerly the Savoy hotel, be reconsidered as it appeared to him that there was unjust discrimination.

Lawyer Pearson explained that the letter spoke for itself. He said: "I do not know what action the board has taken on the application of Mr. King. I appear here representing myself as a property owner and I do not know as I can say any more than is in the letter. I do not believe that any complaints have been made against the place or Mr. King. A first and fourth class license has been granted to Mr. King and I take it that there is no objection to him. The building is fitted up as well if not better than any other hotel in the city."

Mr. Stearns: "The board thought it wise to hold a public hearing on this matter and for this reason I so notified you. The board thought that there might be some further information regarding the desire of the petitioner and the management of the hotel which it does not now possess."

Mr. Pearson: "I consider myself a rather heavy taxpayer and pay taxes on $32,000 on the property in question. I have gone to a considerable expense in fitting out the place. There are about twelve bedrooms and eight or ten other rooms, some of which would be used for bedrooms or dining-rooms."

John C. King, to whom was granted a first and fourth class license, said he had been in the place for one year and no complaints had been made.

"I have an important statement to make," said Commissioner Boulger. "I voted against the granting of an innholder's license for more than one reason. One reason is this: that Mr. King told me, himself, that he did not want a hotel license at the present time."

"At the time the first application was made," said Mr. King, "I was given to understand that a license would be granted the Merrimac House and that if that place got a license an innholder's license would not be very good for me."

"If the Merrimac House gets a license now, do you want an innholder's license?" asked Mr. Hanson.

"Yes, I do."

"My statement still holds," said Mr. Boulger.

"Every business man has a right to change his mind," said Mr. King. "The wise men change with conditions."

This ended the hearing on the petition and action was deferred.

VICTUALLERS' LICENSES.

Alphonse Champagne applied for a renewal of a common victualler's license. He conducts a lunch room at 685 Merrimack street and there was some remonstrance. Lawyer J. Joseph Hennessy said that he appeared for Eudore Croteau, who said he purchased a restaurant and good will of Mr. Champagne's brother at the corner of Moody and Cabot streets and paid $2200 for the same, Champagne's brother stating that he would not open another place within a quarter of a mile of the old stand. Mr. Hennessy said that his client was of the opinion that the business, which is now in Mr. Champagne's name, is being conducted by the brother who sold the restaurant to Mr. Croteau. After a delay of about twenty minutes the objection was withdrawn and a renewal was granted Mr. Champagne.

LUNCH CART LICENSES.

A number of common victualler licenses to lunch carts which were on the table were favorably acted upon. Supt. Moffatt stated that under the new law the board of aldermen granted the locations and that locations had been favorably acted upon with but one exception by the board of aldermen and the police board granted the common victuallers' licenses.

MINOR LICENSES GRANTED.

The minor licenses were acted on as follows.

Common victualler: Lydia E. Salmon, 52 Coburn street; Edward R. Tryon, 397 Mammoth road; Jas Hanley, 1 Jewett street; Frank P. Riley, 502 Central street; Tacena Godbout, 62 Cabot street; Alma Mansur, 355 Mammoth road; J. H. Bacrett, 541 Suffolk street; Stamatos Megacos, 756 Market street; Mrs. Geo. Starr, 141 High street; Thomas Buckley, 19 Tyler street; Garabed Arakian, 355 Central street; Joseph L'Heureux, 543 Merrimack street; Philip F. Mooney, 654 Gorham street; S. Héroux, 443 Moody street; Annie L. Dillon, 125 Andrews street; Christina Hoey, 52 South Whipple street; Alphonse Champagne, 665 Merrimack street; William F. Sadler, 861 Central street; Bert Grew & Co., between 590 and 596 Merrimack street; George C. Dion; Moulton avenue; Clara Jane Wood, 100 Andrews street; Stephen Rangos & Co., 459 Market street; C. E. Bodkin, 39 Chelmsford street; Annie M. Corrigan, 96 East Merrimack street; Hermidas Arvasais, 94-96 John street; George E. Desilets, 127 Paige street; Edwin S. Butterfield, 5 Prince street; Alvah S. Jones, 21-22 Webster street; Wright Whitely, 730 Lawrence street; Agnes S. Beggs, 210 Wilder street; Exilde Leger, 26 Race street; Mrs. Annie McLean, 31 Agawam street; Arsene Roy, 1 and 2 City Hall avenue; Panagiotes Artikas, 393 Market street; Annie Chapman, 242-244 Moody street; Constantine Varoutsis, 9 Hanover street; Martin T. Mack, corner of Central and Green streets; Martin T. Mack, corner of Central and Market streets; John F. Burns, corner of Paige and Bridge streets.

Hawker and peddler: William Tattersall, 52 Wamesit street; John J. Anson, 12 Barlington street; S. W. Stratos, 60 Prince street; Haralvios Austor, 9 Cummiskey's alley.

Billiard, pool and bowling—John Notine, 24 Cabot street; Stephen Rangos, 459 Market street; James McLaughlin, 55-59 East Merrimack street.

Hackney coach—Orthella F. Davis, 32 Church street; Leighton Gendron, 17 Burns street.

Intelligence office—William E. Leihas, 8 Hildreth building; Ida Hutchinson, 231 Gorham street.

Junk collector—Owen McMahon, 297 Lawrence street; Lewis S. Smith, 88 Lincoln street.

Job wagon—Angelo Dagras, 564 Market street.

Express—Omer Bernard, 644 Market street; E. K. McGovern, two teams, Read and Second streets; American Express Co., 11 teams, Lowell, Mass.; Adelard Berard, 577 Middlesex street; Nilker Richardson, East Chelmsford.

Fish carts—John Holland, 132 Jewett street.

Junk dealers— Samuel Cohen, Howard street; Leightman and Blank, 145 Broadway; David J. Ziskind, 257 Howard street; Alexander Perkins, 126 Howard street; John Mayo, 36 Coolidge street. The E. Buxton & Son Co., Tanner street; Thomas McEvoy, 242 Jackson street; John A. Smith, rear of 474 Merrimack street; A. J. Harris, 391 Schol street.

Surrendered and cancelled—Express licenses of Peter Stanhope, 1 Queen street; fish cart, E. F. Horn, 14 Richmond avenue.

Leave to withdraw common victualler, James G. Manis, 10 Lewis street; Martin T. Mack, corner of Dutton and Merrimack streets.

Druggists as sixthh class to sell intoxicating liquors—Joseph M. Cobe of Swann & Cobe, 1 Concord and 61 Andover streets; Levi T. Stearns of G. C. Brock & Co., 276-278 Chelmsford street; Austin A. Frye of Frye & Crawford, 474-478 Merrimack street and 5 Crawford place.

Seventh class, paints and chemicals—W. T. S. Bartlett, 655-659 Merrimack street.

Patrick J. Conroy was promoted from the reserve to the regular force.

BILLERICA NEWS

Tree Warden Dolan on Deck

THE BROWN TAILS STILL EXIST

In Spite of Extermination Controversies

Tree Warden Dolan was present at the meeting of the board of selectmen held last night, and asked the members if they would approve all reasonable and current bills for labor and supplies used by him in the performance of the work of exterminating the brown-tail and gypsy moths. Selectman Mahoney stated that he would approve any and all bills, but the other two members of the board refused to commit themselves.

The selectmen instructed the regular police officers, Martin Conway and Everett W. Livingston, with reference to the territory which they are to cover in addition to their police duty in their respective precincts.

The following jurors were drawn to serve as traverse jurors at the next term of the superior court: Francis W. Cowdrey, Edward F. Dickinson and Coburn S. Smith.

Geo. H. Copley started a crew of men at work yesterday morning on the moth destroying trade, confining his operations, it is laid, to the infested section of West Billerica. Tree Warden Dolan had his old gang laboring in the district they have been covering for the past several days.

The degree staff of Billerica grange held a successful dance at Smith's hall, Jones' corner, last night. Those in charge were Mrs. Sarah Murphy and Mrs. Festina Andrews.

EX-MGR. LAKE

Gone to San Francisco for Ball Players

Fred Lake, former manager of the Lowell baseball team, is now in San Francisco as a representative of the Boston American club. Lake went to the coast to secure, if possible, the signature of Henderson, the crack player of that section, to a Boston American League club contract. The latest report is that Lake has so far failed in his mission but he has hopes that he will succeed in getting his man before he returns.

FAIRBANKS MEN

WILL SEND CONTESTING DELEGATION TO CONVENTION.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 6.—The Fairbanks wing of the republican party in the eleventh district held a split convention in Louisville last night and a contesting delegation to the state convention was named.

BELMONT'S HORSE

WON THE TWO THOUSAND GUINEA STAKES.

LONDON, May 6.—The two thousand guinea stakes for colts and fillies, foaled in 1905, was run at Newmarket today and won by August Belmont's Norman III by Octagon out of Nineveh.

A. F. Bassett's Sir Archibald was second and W. Hall Walker's White Eagle was third. Seventeen horses ran.

LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Lucy H. Grady of Cambridge, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Martin J. Grady, now of Washington, District of Columbia, at Boston, in County of Suffolk, on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1901, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Martin J., lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Boston, aforesaid; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Martin J., being wholly regardless of the same, at Boston, on or about the 13th day of January, A. D. 1904, utterly deserted your libellant and said utter desertion has continued for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Martin J.

Dated this 14th day of October A. D. 1907.

LUCY H. GRADY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, April 16, A. D. 1908.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph N. Snay to us, dated May 1, 1906, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, book 389, page 575, and for breach of the conditions therein contained, we will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, May 28, 1908, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: A certain lot of land on Stedman street in Chelmsford, in said county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone bound on said Stedman street at the corner of an old road, running southwesterly from said Stedman street; thence south 79 deg. west, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound on said road; thence south 41 deg. east, five hundred and thirty feet to a stone bound at land of one Spalding; thence north 68 deg. east, three hundred and eighty-one feet to a stone bound at Stedman street; thence northeasterly on Stedman street, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound at the point of beginning. Containing four acres more or less.

Terms made known at time of sale.

JOHN ALTON,
Her
MARY X ALTON,
Mark
Mortgagees.

Witness, John J. Hogan.

TO LET

TO LET—By day, week or season, 6, 5 and 3-room houses at south end, Salisbury beach. Good location, water and gas in houses. Rent cheap. Apply R. C. Maines, 72 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—5-room ten. on Chelmsford st. for $10 a month. 7-room ten. on Grove st. $16 a month. 7-room ten. on Gibson st. $22 a month. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—If you are looking for a clean, tidy tenement of from three of six rooms at a moderate rent, in Centralville, Highlands or near the depot, call on us. We can suit you. Thos. H. Elliott, 61 Central st.

TO LET—To a small American family, a very desirable five-room tenement in thorough repair. Sunny, excellent car service, near stores, schools, churches, etc. No. 176 Pleasant st., Dracut (Navy Yard, opposite post office. Price $8 per month. References required. Apply 276 Westford st., Lowell.

TO LET—Modern flat of five rooms with bath, hot water, set tubs and fine yard, centrally located. $15 per month. Thos. H. Elliott, 61 Central st.

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

TO LET—Tenement of 8 rooms with modern improvements at 339 Riverside st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—A tenement of four rooms, 10 Wright st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—6-room tenement with bath, hot and cold water, etc., on Mt. Washington st. Inquire at 25 Varney st.

TO LET—Five rooms, pantry, bath, at 40-41 Barclay st., $11, $12. Apply to The Phillips & Schutz Furniture Co., 302 Middlesex st.

TO LET—Desirable tenement, 37 South Loring st., 6 rooms, modern improvements, moderate rent. Inquire 17 Nicollet street.

SUITE FRONT OFFICES. Light, cheerful and airy. Associate building. Overlooking city hall square. Elevator service. Exceptionally good opening for live business.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board. 134 Perry st.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Newly furnished rooms with table board. Apply Mrs. A. Brennan, 10 John st.

TO LET

At 15 Marsh street a flat of five rooms, with pantry and back kitchen, furnace heat. Apply to D. S. O'Brien, Merrimack Clothing Co.

RUMMAGE SALE

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY OF THIS WEEK, COR. CENTRAL AND CHARLES STREETS.

Don't Be Deceived

If you have tried other papers of doubtful circulation and failed to get results, that is no reason why you should condemn all newspapers. There are some honest newspapers with actual bona fide circulations. THE SUN, for instance, now prints over 16,000 copies daily. Is it any wonder SUN advertisers get quick results?

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A six feet can milkman's ice chest. Inquire at 84 Railroad st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One National cash register, almost new. Max Carp & Co., 91 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—8½ feet silent salesman show cases, all plate glass, Joslyn make, also two plate glass mirrors, 24x60, fine condition. The Pinault Co., 43 Central st., cor. Middle.

FOR SALE—Set of gun metal store and window fixtures, suitable for hats, clothing and gent's furnishings. The Pinault Co., 43 Central st., cor. Middle.

FOR SALE—New bedstead, spring and mattress, kitchen table, kitchen stove, baby carriage with shade, cost $15.50, take $5.60. Apply 1 Conlon's court, Fayette st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Furniture for light housekeeping, also cook stove, at the Wentworth block. Inquire at room 9.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house. Will sell at a great sacrifice, owner leaving city. Inquire 68 East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Square piano, also some very fine oil paintings. If sold at once will sell reasonable. Parties leaving city. Inquire 11 Lane st.

LOST—Lady's gold watch and fob chain, either in St. Joseph's church or Merrimack sq. by way of Lee and John sts., or on Varnum ave. car to Starbird st. Reward at J. E. Burbank's, 415 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Four good big work horses, also wagon and harnesses, must be sold at once. 370 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—If you are going to buy a horse call at rear 56 Franklin st. and get one as represented or your money refunded.

FOR SALE—Dahlia roots that will grow; all colors. Call G. F. Cutler, North Chelmsford, Mass.

FOR SALE—Just arrived, another lot of acclimated horses, one pair weighing 2600 lbs., right out of hard work; one gray horse, 1250 lbs., seven years old and sound, been used in beer wagon in city that has gone no-license; seven others, drivers and business horses. Must be sold this week to make room for another load. Cows taken in exchange. Rear 56 Franklin st.

FOR SALE—Gasoline launch cheap, in good running order. Call evenings, 33 Beaver st.

SINGLE COMB White Leghorns, money back for all unfertile eggs. These are nice ones, 50c for 13 eggs; also a few birds. Robert Scott, 102 Epping st., Wigginville.

FOR SALE—A go-cart with leather hood, at a big bargain. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—First class meat refrigerator of the latest design with glass front, almost new, will sell on easy terms. Inquire at 42 Hildreth Bldg. or telephone 1888.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced cook, willing to go to the seashore. Inquire Mrs. George C. Dempsey, 781 Andover st.

WANTED—Housework, neat competent girl, would like country place, $2. Employers call 231 Gorham st.

WANTED—An experienced kitchen girl. Apply 211 Appleton st.

WANTED—Niggerhead operators on McKay work. Apply Stover & Bean's, Thorndike st.

AGENTS for kerosene, incandescent mantle lamp. Twelve times cheaper than gas, seven times cheaper than ordinary kerosene lamp. Continental Co., 335 Broadway, New York.

WANTED—An experienced chambermaid who can do table work. Apply at American house.

UNCLE SAM wants 10,000 railway mail clerks, mail carriers, clerks immediately. Salary $1200. Rapid advancement. Examinations here soon. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—50 school boys and girls. Call at 569 Dutton st. between 4 and 5 o'clock p. m.

WANTED—A reliable man in Lowell to sell our fast selling specialty, easy to earn over $30 a week. None but those who mean business need apply. L. F. Loiselle, 303 The Beacon, Manchester, N. H.

WANTED—A few ladies of business ability for agents and managers. Commission salary and expenses to competent people. Apply from 12 to 5 p. m. to Miss Masters, 116 Appleton st.

WANTED—Boy with some experience on soda fountain. Call 32 Andover st.

WANTED—Middle aged lady for general housework and care for child six years old, country woman preferred. Address H. W. Marshall, Hudson, N. H., R. F. D. No. 1.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A Boston & Maine trip book. Reward for return to H. O'Brien, Richardson Hotel.

LOST—Pocketbook containing sum of money, Apr. 30, between Gershom ave. and Ford street by way of Moody st. 146 Gershom ave. Reward.

LOST—Black silk fob with initials F. P. O. on face of charm. Liberal reward for return. Notify F. P. O., Box 1233, Lowell.

LOST—Monday evening, April 27, amethyst rosary beads, gold chained. Owner's name engraved on cross, between St. Peter's church and Pollard's store. Reward if returned to 37 Pearl st.

LOST—Black and tan hound pup. Reward if returned to R. R. Armistead, 38 Mammoth Road.

FOUND—Purse of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. 427 Westford st.

LOST—A pair of ladies shoes at Dows' drug store, Saturday afternoon. Finder return to M. Burns, 30 Marion st.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 63 leading cities. Tolman, room 48, Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

Money on Credit

Without security, to salaried people, merchants and teamsters. Best terms obtainable.

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Hours, 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.; Monday and Saturday till 9 p. m.

MONEY TO LOAN, $10 UP

We don't claim that our money is any better than the other fellow's, but we do claim that our rates and service are the very best to be had, and that is what concerns you most if you think of borrowing.

If you will call, write or 'phone No. 2434 we will furnish you with full particulars.

No charge of any kind unless loan is made.

American Loan Co

Room 10, 45 Merrimack St.

Open Evenings.

MISCELLANEOUS

STOVES STORED for the season. Called for and returned, $2. W. M. Tuplin & Co., Carpet Cleansing Works, 14 Hale st. Tel. 2374-1.

QUINCY HOUSE—The best house in the city for meals and rooms. Board by the day or week. Gents, $2.50; ladies, $2 per week. Everything clean and very neat. Hot and cold baths, gas and electric lights.

EXCELLENT PASTURAGE for horses and colts, with abundant supply of water and shelter with daily attendance on line of Nashua & Lowell electric railway, eight miles from Lowell. Season terms, $15. Apply to S. A. Greeley, R. F. D. No. 3, Nashua, N. H. Telephone 553-12.

M. GOLDSTEIN & CO., 163 Chelmsford st., dealers in wall papers. Rooms papered for $2; also whitewashing and painting. Estimates given large and small jobs. Work guaranteed. Tel. 1118-12.

CLIPPERS sharpened, saw filing, key fitting and badges made to order at Harry Gonzales, 123 Gorham st. Tel. 552-2.

JOHN J. HAYDEN, whitewashing and paper hanging. 23 Cady st.

STORAGE of all kinds, separate rooms $1 to $3 a month, according to size. Tel. 914. John B. Sabre, 255 Hildreth st.

HUGH McGROGAN, piano and furniture mover, in or out of town. 53 Chestnut st. Tel 2312-1.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

WANTED—Pick up your old gold and silver and turn it into cash. Mellen, 424 Central st., cor. Charles.

LIMBURG chimney expert. Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 112a Bridge st. Telephone 945.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination, used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Reliable hustler wants permanent position as teamster in city, two years' experience. Call at 8 p. m., 256 Salem st.

WANTED—A good reliable woman would like housecleaning by the day or week. Address 33 Newhall st.

SITUATION WANTED by middle aged lady washing or house cleaning by the day or hour. Inquire rear 537 Lakeview ave.

FOUND

At 37 West Third street: Iron bed for $1.75; iron bed, spring and mattress, $4.25; wood bed, spring and mattress, $3.75; bureaus, no mirrors, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50; bureaus with mirrors, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00; commodes, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50; chamber suits as low as $6.00; lounge, $2.00. These goods look nearly as well as new. If you want something a little better we have got the goods at 356 and 358 Bridge and 37 West Third Streets.

O. F. PRENTISS

SPECIAL NOTICES

RHEUMATISM cured or money refunded, roots, herbs and barks. Write A. L., Sun Office.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened up to date at Harry Gonzales, the cutler, 123 Gorham st. Tel. 552-2.

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—The most wonderful discovery for the treatment of rupture known to science. Purely mechanical. Expert fitters of trusses, abdominal belts, and flat foot supports. Frye & Crawford Drug Co., 474 Merrimack st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—2-ten. house near Broadway. Always rented. 5 rooms and bath to each ten. $2600. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—8-room house with bath and stable near Fremont st., in Centralville, 1 min. to cars. $2600. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—New double house near Marlborough street. Just ready for occupancy. 8 rooms to each ten. Baths, set tubs, laundries, pantries, cemented cellar, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, etc. Rents for $676 a year. Price $6500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—8-room house near Eighth st. in Centralville. Bath and cemented cellar. Excellent condition. $1700. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—2-ten. house near Butterfield st. 6 and 5 rooms. 3000 feet of land. Big veranda. Set tubs, laundry, steam heat. Cemented cellar, hardwood floors, $3500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—Near Gorham st., two 8-room houses with all improvements, large lot of land. Price $1600 each. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—In Pawtucketville, near cars, nice six-acre place, lots of fruit, good buildings. Price to suit you. G. L. Hubbard, Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, good cottage house, in good repair, good sized lot of land. Price $1150. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—Near Pawtucket bridge, 6-room cottage house, large lot of land, same fruit. Price $1550. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wyman's Exchange.

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room cottage in Pawtucketville, in first class condition, excellent location, will sell cheap, as I am leaving state. Terms easy. George Davis, 51 Starbird street, Pawtucketville.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house with bath and set tubs, on Florence ave. Price $2400. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house on Seventh st., 7 rooms in each tenement, with barn. Price $4200. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house near Sacred Heart church. Built 3 years, hot and cold water. Price $3600. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—9-room house, all modern, and stable, in the Highlands, $3400. 7-room house in Middlesex Village, $1400. 9-room house, all modern, with stable and 30,000 ft. of land, $3500. 7-acre place in Chelmsford Centre, $3900. 80-acre farm with 150 apple trees on it, $1600. J. W. Bruce & Co., 153 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—Nice 8-room house, not and cold water and bath with two acres of land; 15 minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—A fine running Rambler runabout automobile. In best of repair. Will sell this cheap as I have no use for it. $250. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

COTTAGES—2 tenements, blocks and building lots, centre and outskirts of city; every price under value; some easy term bargains. M. J. Sharkey, Insurance and Real Estate, Chalifoux Bldg., 22 Central st. Tel. 1856-1.

WANTED

WANTED—Single or double house on Butterfield, Varney or Cross sts., or nearby section. State directly particulars and lowest price. Cash Customer, Sun Office.

TO ESTATE AGENTS and others: Painter and paperhanger wants jobbing work. Reliable man. 107 Railroad st.

WANTED—I intend to locate in Lowell very shortly and will pay cash for a two-ten. house or one family house in the Highlands. Address with price and full particulars to F. H. C., this office.

WANTED—To buy strictly modern 8-room house for cash, between Branch, Gates, Chelmsford, Inland and Stevens. Geo. W. Cummings. Tel.

WANTED—Rooms papered, $1.75; rooms painted, $1.25; whitewashed, 35c. All work guaranteed. Shop address, 41 Lakeview ave., Benard & Mullin.

WANTED—Washing and house cleaning by the day or hour. Apply 123 Salem st.

WANTED—Rooms papered, $1.75; rooms painted, $1.25; whitewashed, 25c. All work guaranteed. Shop address, 41 Lakeview ave., Benard & Mullin.

WANTED—In a private sanitarium in the outskirts of the city, an aged or invalid person to board. Man nurse in attendance. Mrs. Blanchard, 688 Pleasant st., Dracut Centre. Tel.

WANTED—Old fashioned furniture, feather beds. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other buyer. Send order to P. Weimer & Co., Gen. Delivery, Lowell.

WANTED—The people to call at 159 Appleton st. for coal, coke, mill kindlings, slabs and hard wood. Griffin. Tel. 663.

Will Paper Your Room for $2.00

We will paper your room, furnishing the paper and border to match, and hang the same in a first-class manner, for $2.00. Inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc. Will cheerfully give an estimate on any work you intend to have done.

BAKER

The New Racket. Phone 1972-4.
303 MIDDLESEX STREET.

National Dye House

Harry H. Lew. Ladies' and gentlemen's clothing cleansed, dyed, pressed and repaired. 341 Central st. Tel. 2471.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THREE ARE DEAD

Much Property Damage Done by Fierce Storm

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 6.—Three persons dead, several others injured, considerable property loss and a demoralization of traffic, resulted from the storm of wind and rain which swept over southern Arkansas, western Tennessee and Mississippi. The wind razed a number of small buildings and tangled telegraph and telephone wires while the rain caused numerous washouts along the railroads, delaying traffic and causing other damage.

The greatest damage and loss of life occurred in Arkansas. At Marche, the Polish settlement was badly damaged and three persons were killed, another sustained probably fatal injuries and several were less seriously injured. Meagre reports from Conway and Faulkner counties tell of damage by the storm. Watson, Desha county, is reported practically destroyed.

In western Tennessee and Mississippi the railroads suffered the greatest damage because of washouts.

Howard's dead easy kills all bugs, 25c.

LOWELL CO-OPERATIVE BANK

The annual meeting of the shareholders of Lowell Co-operative Bank will be held Friday evening, May 15, 1908, at half past seven o'clock in room 59, Central block, 53 Central st., Lowell, Mass., for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

WILLIAM D. BROWN, Clerk.

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

Going to Make A Present Of a Range?

Well, the worst thing you can do for the new bride is to buy her any other range than the Crawford. We hear it if you don't, when they come to buy the furniture: "I got a present of a range. I wish they had asked me what kind I wanted. I wanted a Crawford so badly." Now isn't that too bad to compel her to use a range that isn't as convenient and will use more coal than a Crawford, when a Crawford, size for size, would not have cost you any more? If you don't want to ask the bride what range she wants, the safest thing to do is to buy a Crawford, for 99 times out of 100 that's what they want. And we'll agree to take it back if they want any other.

A.E. O'Heir & Co.
Agents for Crawford Range
Merrimack Sq.

FREE!

For one week only, beginning Wednesday, May 6, we will give away free with 1 box of
Dr. Brown's Healing Salve 25c
and one box of
Dr. Brown's Stomach and Nerve Tonic Tablets 25c
a beautiful Cuckoo Clock.
A good chance to get a nice present. Call and see the goods.
See our window.

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Reliable Druggists
Middlesex, Cor. Thorndike St., and Chelmsford Centre.

No One Need Have Gray Hair
Regal Hair Life
Will Restore Gray Hair to Its Youthful Color and Will Keep It That Way.
Regal Hair Life
is the most wonderful hair tonic ever offered for sale. It makes dry hair soft and glossy; stops it from falling out, and produces a new and luxuriant growth in every instance where the hair follicles have not been destroyed. Full directions for using on each bottle.
For sale by Ellingwood & Co.; also the Regal Chemical Co., Boston, Mass.

SUNDAY ASSAULT

On William St. Brought Parties to Court

THE OFFENDER FINED $12

Case Was Sequel of Wedding Festivity

The case of John Kasprszyk charged with assaulting Mrs. Kathrena Sarivienska was heard in police court this morning and occupied considerable of the court's time.

Before the testimony was offered Judge Hadley inquired if the assault took place at a wedding or a christening and was told that it was the aftermath of a wedding which took place the day before.

Kathrena Sarivienska, the complainant, said that she lives in William street and testified that last Sunday she was sitting at a window in her house, with her elbows resting on the window sill. Kasprszyk was outside smoking a pipe. He took the pipe out of his mouth and placing it against her arm inflicted a severe burn.

The complainant told her husband what the defendant had done and Mr. Sarivienska spoke to Kasprszyk, but the latter told Sarivienska that he would go in the house and "lick" him if he didn't keep his mouth shut. A few more words followed and the defendant rushed into the house and assaulted the complainant's husband. The complainant went to interfere and the defendant grabbed her by the arm, causing black and blue marks.

John Sarivienska, husband of the previous witness, said that the defendant called him a vile name and then rushed into the house and grabbed him by the throat. He also testified that when his wife went to interfere Kasprszyk assaulted her.

Several witnesses corroborated the testimony, offered by the complainant and her husband.

The defendant testified that he lived in the same house with the plaintiff, 60 William street, and that last Sunday the complainant and her husband called him vile names and he went into the house and "gave it" to the husband. The wife interfered and he pushed her.

The court found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of $12.

GIRL KILLED

LITTLE ONE BACKED INTO A WAGON.

BOSTON, May 6.—While playing jump rope early last evening in front of her home, Annie Seagren, 6-year-old daughter of Carl Seagren of 10 Ray street, Roxbury, was run over by a wagon, suffering injuries from which she died a few minutes after.

Jeremiah F. Driscoll of 239 Boston street, Dorchester, the driver, was taken to station 9 after the accident and held until a late hour when he was released by Lieut. Perry and Sergt. Hickey. The horse and wagon belonged to Moore & Wright, truckmen of Roxbury.

The little girl was playing with her sister and three other little girls her own age. At the time of the accident she was holding one end of a rope and standing in the middle of the street while her playmates jumped.

From what the police were able to learn from witnesses, it appears that the horse had passed the Seagren girl when, at a request from her playmates, she started to move farther out into the street and backed directly into the wagon.

Howard's dead easy kills roaches, 25c.

LICENSE MONEY

THE CITY TREASURER HAS RECEIVED $160,237.

The amount of money taken in for liquor license at the office of the city treasurer up to the noon hour today was $160,237. There are yet eight licenses to be heard from.

CHELSEA FUND

NOW HAS PASSED THE $1800 MARK.

The contributions to the Chelsea relief fund collected at the office of the city treasurer has reached a total of $1806.30 by the assistance of the following contributions:

Employes Metropolitan Life Insurance company $25.00
I. O. B. A. Hebrew Lodge No. 256..... 25.00

BILLS APPROVED.

The charity board and the water board met last night and approved bills.

HAS NOT MOVED YET.

John Stritt, sealer of weights and measures, has not yet moved into the front office of the board of charities department.

LOWELL ASSURES THE NEW ENGLAND VETERAN FIREMEN OF A HEARTY WELCOME AND A JOLLY GOOD TIME IN THEIR ANNUAL MUSTER TO BE HELD IN THIS CITY AUGUST 20.

VETERAN FIREMEN

State Convention Voted to Hold Muster Here

AUGUST 20th THE DATE FIXED

List of the Delegates Who Attended

The New England States Veteran Firemen's league at its annual meeting held in this city, yesterday, voted to hold the annual muster of the league in this city, Thursday, August 20.

The following is a list of the delegates who were present: Capt. John J. Mullen, East Providence; Amos Dean, Cambridge; Capt. J. H. Miller, Capt. Benj. H. Getchell, Salem; Jeremiah F. Gallivan, Braintree; Samuel J. Carpenter, Providence; F. E. Stevens, F. W. Van Cott, Waltham; B. F. Guptill, Jamaica Plain; R. E. Wilson, Manchester, N. H.; W. A. Green, Braintree; E. A. Salmon, Lowell; John A. Anderson, Worcester; J. E. Story, Gloucester; John A. Jackson, Brockton; William H. Brown, Marblehead; George A. Sandford, Chelsea; F. T. Washburn, New Bedford; P. J. Fitzgerald, Boston; John H. Wetherbee, Hyde Park; F. E. Washburn, New Bedford; John C. Folsom, Winchendon; N. L. Wadden, Marblehead; Thomas McIntire, Somerville; William H. Hathaway, Gloucester; George H. Welfest, Revere; E. P. Walker, Somerville; John Seaver, Boston; J. M. Gold, Boston; James H. Walker, Lowell; John Hangedon, Newton; J. A. Stevens, Springfield; James L. Cushing, Chelsea; Thomas G. Gerrish, Malden; Fred P. Hunt, Cranston; J. F. Colton, Newton; James F. O'Connor, Malden; Baxter H. Studley, Pawtucket; Horner H. Hobbs, Berwick, Me.; H. Cheek, Pawtucket; S. R. Whitman, Cranston; Philip A. Mack, Jamaica Plain; Henry H. Wilcox, Taunton; C. E. Taylor, Knightsville, Rhode Island; Patrick Manning, Amesbury; M. F. Cavanaugh, Roxbury; Capt. C. C. Wilson, Boston; Samuel Potter, South Braintree; W. E. Mayberry, Braintree; Lucius R. Mansfield, Brookville, Mass.; William T. Crawford, Brookville; Thomas G. M. Hawkes, Chelsea; J. W. Kneeland, Roxbury; W. B. Porter, Newburyport; John Burke, Newburyport; Peter A. Wilson, Amesbury; Edward A. Weeks, Portsmouth; Horace W. Gray, Portsmouth; George H. Blatchford, Cambridge; D. L. Adamson, East Boston; J. R. Duncan, Lynn; W. A. Dickey, Newburyport; Capt. William J. Stewart, North Andover; C. R. Leavitt, Hingham; L. C. Sweatt, Hingham; C. E. Harding, Braintree; John H. Wilson, Manchester; A. M. Glines, Manchester; Charles Wetherbee, Campello; A. L. Willis, Brockton; D. J. Hurley, Lowell; Francis F. Webster, Chelsea; P. F. Manning, Jamaica Plain; A. A. Tilden, Arlington; J. B. Newhall, Concord, N. H.; A. S. Paige, Taunton; C. H. Philbrick, Lowell; Frank E. Massey, Stoughton; Edward Cheney, Lowell; Herbert G. Lee, Pawtucket; Arthur H. Bender, Edgewood, R. I.; John A. Robertson, Central Falls; Absalom A. Cloom, Stoughton; Girard P. Dadman, Lowell; John L. Bryant, New Bedford; Capt. George Hunt, Providence; Charles F. Perry, Lowell; Murthy Lyons, Lowell; Frank R. Bailey, Lowell; Walter W. Smith, Lowell; Charles H. Ray, Portland, Me.;

HUMPHREY O'SULLIVAN,
A prominent factor in bringing the convention to Lowell.

B. Frank Moody, Lynn; Thomas J. Henry, Everett; Melville Harkell, Arlington; Charles C. Rogers, Brockton; Capt. G. H. Remick, Lawrence; John France, Lawrence; John J. Driscoll, South Hadley Falls; James Mulhall, Hartford; G. A. Judd, Everett; Daniel P. Barrows, Brockton; E. S. Hosmer, Lowell.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Brewster's Millions" has caught the town. "The greatest performance I ever witnessed." That's the verdict of every man and woman who has seen the best play in the comedy line that has ever been staged. This afternoon there is a matinee performance and tonight the final production of the play will be given. Lowell will never again see "Brewster's Millions" at least not with the same presenting company as now. There are too many men and women of ability in that cast to keep it together for another season, so if you want to see a remarkable play, presented by a most remarkable cast so far as ability is concerned, see "Brewster's Millions" tonight. See Edward Abeles as Monty Brewster, and see a fellow who captures you from the start, one who you will say is "all right." Abeles is a most versatile young man and he must be to play the part. He never transgresses for one second, and throughout the entire play he is the same cool, collected fellow who has something to do and is kept busy planning how to do it. The more you see of "Brewster's Millions" the better you like it, and there are not many plays that this can be said of. The stage settings are most real and the performance is of the kind that impresses one so that it is always "kept green in his memory."

GLACIA CALLA.

The announcement that Glacia Calla would sing in New York city, May 19th, and the excellent program arranged, has proved to be tempting to the gentry who indulge in ticket speculation and efforts are being made by Mr. Grau, the director of the Glacia Calla tour, to prevent these enterprising agents from securing any seats until the public demand has been satisfied. For this reason, not only in New York, but also in this and other cities of the tour, seats and boxes will be placed at the disposal of the public far in advance and orders will be reserved by mail, telephone and telegraph in the order of their receipt, and it is to be hoped that by this precaution it will not be possible for the wily ticket speculator to gain any advantage.

Mr. Grau has also instructed all the local managers of the different theatres to be visited, not to sell more than ten seats to any one person unless it be for a society or for educational schools or teachers.

Seats go on sale today.

SUMMER VAUDEVILLE AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

The Actograph company of New York and Paris will commence the summer engagement at the Lowell Opera House next Monday with a matinee daily and will offer exceptionally high class vaudeville. The entire program will be changed every Monday and Thursday and the price of admission for all performances, five and ten cents, will give local theatre-goers an entertainment that for variety, and the bargain price, has never been equalled. The vaudeville artists to appear with the opening performances will be Geo. C. Harden and company in "Uncle Reuben's Birthday," Walton Sisters in a clever dancing novelty, the great Raymond, comedian and acrobat, and Edmund McCauley in illustrated songs of the newest kind, together with a selection of animated views that range from comedy to drama give a variety to the whole performance that leaves the audience in a happy mood at the close of the entertainment.

ROBERT EDESON.

Direct from a record-breaking run at the Hudson theatre, in New York, Robert Edeson comes to the Opera House May 19th, when he will be presented by Henry B. Harris in "Classmates," his greatest success. "Classmates" is a play of West Point life by William C. de Mille and Margaret Turnbull, and it has been one of the few pronounced hits in New York this season. Like all of Mr. Edeson's previous vehicles it is thoroughly American and filled with clean and sparkling humor. Mr. Edeson plays Duncan Irving, a first-class cadet of North Carolina, and his support includes a company of note, among the principals being Paulina Anthony, Marjorie Wood, Maud Granger, Wallace Eddinger, Sidney Ainsworth, Frank McIntyre, Macey Harlam and Lawrence Eddiger.

HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

"In the Bishop's Carriage," by Miriam Michelson, was for a time, listed as one of the "six best sellers" in the field of fiction. In these days of many books by many authors it means much to have a work listed as being so popular as to be among the six best books of the year. Channing Pollock dramatized the novel and has made a play which might, perhaps, rank among the "six best plays" of the year, and it is being given this week at Hathaway's theatre by a very strong collection of actors and actresses known as the Bower players. By a strange coincidence the same play is being given at Hathaway's theatre in New Bedford this week, and it is being acclaimed there as one of the very best dramas of the year.

The presenting company in this city is headed by Miss Norma Winslow, a charming young actress, who portrays the part of the girl, Enid, and Alphonz Ethier, an admirable leading man, who, unfortunately, is cast for an ungracious part. Miss Winslow's study of the character of "Nance Olden" is always interesting; rather more so, perhaps, while she is still wavering between right and wrong—on the verge of becoming a hardened law breaker or of transforming herself into noble womanhood. It is a difficult part to act and Miss Winslow most ably surmounts its difficulties. Prominent parts are given to Orson Dunn, most admirable as a character actor, and to Carroll Daly, one of the best villains it has been the privilege of this city to see in a long time. The greater part of the action is carried on by these three characters, although the full list of the company members is used.

The play will be given every evening during the balance of the week, with matinees every day except Friday. Souvenirs for women patrons will be given at the matinees.

THEATRE VOYONS.

A pleasing variety ranging from a beautifully colored mystery picture to a dramatic story picture, that at times becomes almost tragic, is offered at the Theatre Voyons today. Every one of the pictures is in the out of the ordinary class and one of them, "The Land of the Gold Mines," is really a work of art. Many different colorings are used and a large number of people take part in the action of the picture. The mysterious effects are little short of marvelous and the way the effects are secured are puzzling even to experts in photography. "The Workingman's Revenge" is a pleasing and strong dramatic subject, one that has a novel plot and it is a strikingly well acted picture. "What a Boy Can Do" is probably known to everybody but the wrinkles that this imp of tender years introduces for his own amusement and the discomfiture of the family and their visitors make the picture a long laugh. The songs are the kind that please and are finely sung.

THE PASTIME.

Today the Pastime has presented another good show for 5 cents. A show that will cost you ten cents to see in any other house, but the Pastime has reduced its price for the summer to 5 cents. Everybody knows now what a neat and comfortable motion picture house the Pastime is. You have no stairs to climb and you can see the pictures plainly from all the seats. You are are allowed to take any seat you wish and you are not charged anything extra for taking this seat. Ladies are well taken care of here and the house in every respect is orderly and quiet.

The songs this week seem to have caught the audiences so that now more than ever they enjoy the choruses. There are two singers, both of whom have had the training and experience of singing before the public for many years so that they are now the best that can be found. These singers with the exclusive picture service which the Pastime is getting are able to entertain you for an hour in the right way. The program changes again Friday.

STAR THEATRE.

The crowds are steadily on the increase here. Every seat was taken last night and everyone went away well pleased with the evening's entertainment. It is the aim of the management to put on shows that are the cleanest and best to be found anywhere, and that they are succeeding is evidenced by the large attendance.

Billy Purcell, the young colored man, is well received. His eccentric dancing is peculiar to his race and especially comical.

The singers are making good with "There's Another Picture in My Mama's Frame," sung by Baby Curry in a very pleasing manner, and "I'd Live or I'd Die For You," by J. C. Bell.

There is a change of program in pictures today and they are exceptionally fine.

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The new Nemo models are of absorbing interest; some are ENTIRELY NEW INVENTIONS, which produce results heretofore thought impossible.

The ingenious and lissome "Willow-Shape," should be studied carefully by women of SLENDER AND MEDIUM FIGURES, while the stout woman will rejoice in the new "Flatning-Back" models in the "Self-Reducing" styles, whereby graceful Princesse effects may be attained even by fleshy women. Price-range:

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And there are models to fit all figures.

$7.50 FRENCH MADE CORSETS FOR $3.00

There's nothing the matter with the goods just because we've marked them from $7.50 to $3.00, but your conclusion is liable to be there must be some "out" about them. Well, if you call last season's models an "out," you are right, but we are safe to say these three models for stout, slender and average figures will be more productive of actual wearing comfort than the newer models of today. Please note these corsets are boned throughout with whalebone and are made by the best French makers.....$3.00 A PAIR

Come and see them anyway, even if you don't buy.

THE WAIST SALE

Is losing none of its force this week, but why should it, when you think of the values we are giving. If you haven't seen or heard of them, make it your business to find out for yourself what a WAIST SALE means at the Specialty Shop. $1.50 Values for 95c. All this week.

Other bargains at $1.50, $1.95, $2.95, $3.95, $4.95 and up to $15.00.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A large and well attended meeting of the juvenile division, A. O. H., was held in Hibernian hall last evening. Pres. Cornelius Lynch was in the chair. It was voted to assemble at the hall next Sunday at 7.15 a. m. and go to St. Peter's church and receive communion with the men. Each member will wear the emblem of whatever society he belongs to. The second and fourth Saturdays of each month were selected as drill days for the boys. President Thomas Lynch made a few remarks and then introduced Lieut. Frank Kierce who is to be military instructor of the boys. Lieut. Kierce said that he would place the boys on a footing equal to any similar organization in the city. The meeting then adjourned to the first Monday in June when it is expected that the membership will be doubled as the five divisions are trying to make the juvenile the largest organization in the state.

Garfield Colony, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, held its regular meeting last evening. A committee is working on an entertainment to take place some time the last of the month.

BETSY ROSS CIRCLE.

The Betsy Ross circle, No. 24, Ladies of the G. A. R., held its regular meeting in Post 155 hall, Wyman's Exchange. There was a good attendance and much interest was manifested in the work now on hand. Reports show that the circle is in a flourishing condition.

MT. ZION LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Mt. Zion lodge, No. 75, I. O. G. T., had a large and enthusiastic attendance at its regular meeting last night in Good Templars hall, Gorham street. Three candidates were initiated and after transaction of other important business the meeting was addressed at length by the treasurer, Carl J. E. Santesson. Other members entertained with vocal and instrumental selections.

COURT ROCHAMBEAU, F. A. F.

Court Rochambeau, French American Foresters of Fall River, tendered a reception Monday night to J. H. Guillet, of this city, supreme chief foresters of the order. A dinner was served after which interesting speeches were given by Mr. Guillet and others.

Among those present was Supreme Deputy J. Z. Lougpre of Court Bonaventure of New Bedford and deputy to Court Rochambeau.

SAMUEL HINES LODGE, K. OF P.

The regular meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and considerable business of importance was transacted. A complete report of the grand lodge convention was read by Representative P. C., A. E. Joy. Next Tuesday the rank of esquire will be worked by the rank staff of the lodge.

At the close of last night's meeting refreshments were served after which pitch was played. P. C. S. Scott with a score of 78 was high man. He received a valuable gold button, presented by Bennett Silverblatt of Lowell lodge, 24. P. C. A. E. Joy won the booby with a score of 22 and received a devil match box. Remarks for the good of the order were made by P. C. Joy, Clark, Gilman and Boles and Prelate Harvey.

Brother Bernard Pearson, who has been in the Lowell hospital seven weeks with blood poisoning, was present and received a hearty welcome from the members of his lodge.

Mr. Joseph A. Legare, private secretary to Congressman Butler Ames is recovering from a very serious and somewhat sudden illness. He has been for the past three weeks confined to his rooms at the Richmond hotel at Washington, suffering from a severe attack of tonsilitis complicated with brain fever. His condition at one time gave grave cause for alarm, but he is now better.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	5.54	7.01
a6.28	7.41	6.30	7.26
a6.44	7.53	7.54	8.55
6.49	7.30	8.15	8.59
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.39
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.05
b7.52	8.55	12.00	12.50
8.46	9.25	1.00	1.37
8.56	9.35	2.05	3.00
9.38	10.18	3.00	3.37
10.25	11.15	3.44	4.21
11.06	12.02	a3.51	5.00
11.25	12.20	a5.14	5.30
12.12	1.00	5.05	5.37
1.44	2.25	b5.21	6.25
2.41	3.20	5.15	6.27
3.43	4.25	b5.21	6.40
4.28	5.20	a6.14	7.30
5.22	6.15	7.39	8.06
6.23	7.05	8.30	9.08
b7.05	8.13	10.50	11.34
7.32	8.35	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.30	7.35	a7.00	8.10
8.00	8.55		
10.50	11.55	9.25	10.35
12.00	1.06	10.55	11.52
2.35	3.40	11.50	12.45
4.06	5.17	2.20	3.26
5.06	6.44	3.40	4.55
z5.28	6.44	4.59	5.50
6.18	7.43	5.02	7.15
7.00	8.00	6.25	7.45
9.35	10.37	9.35	10.31
		*11.25	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
z Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.24	8.50	9.07
10.10	1.16	12.00	1.06
3.00	5.00	2.15	3.25
5.45	7.00	3.35	4.40
6.45	8.32	5.20	6.45
		8.40	9.37

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

8.40	9.50	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.43	9.49	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.35	1.00	1.37
10.30	11.37	5.00	5.59
2.35	3.17	7.30	8.08
5.10	6.00	8.32	9.08
6.27	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.35	10.30	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

Touring club, Mathew hall, tonight.

Petra Hela Blood Purifier the best.

A 12-pound boy has arrived at the home of George Lynch of the Y. M. C. I.

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Calumet orchestra, Mathew hall, tonight.

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is what Petra Hela (the Great Healer) has in Lowell and its wonderful help in very many cases of Old Sores, Piles, Eczema, Pimples and Skin Diseases has made friends for it all over New England.

Petra Hela Blood Purifier and Tonic for the blood, and as a spring medicine is equally as good.

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ALWAYS GET AN EARLY START

We have just got our new FLOWER SEED in. Come early and have your choice.

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In the Waiting Room.

BOARD OF TRADE

Heard Committee From Cigar Makers' Union

PLEA FOR HOME INDUSTRY

Sec'y McKenna Reports on City Beautiful

The directors of the board of trade held their regular meeting at the office of the secretary yesterday, President Henry A. Smith in the chair.

A committee from the local cigar manufacturers consisting of James H. Buckley and W. H. Potter appeared at the meeting to ask the co-operation of the board in their effort to boom Lowell made cigars. There are only a few cigar makers employed in Lowell while in the city of Manchester with a population of 60,000, there are over 200. It was proposed to send out circulars asking Lowell cigar dealers to push Lowell made cigars, and ask the co-operation of the public. The matter was referred to a committee to arrange the details.

HENRY A. SMITH,
Board of Trade.

Mr. Buckley enumerated the names of several Lowell made cigars that are as good as any 10 cent cigar on the market which the dealers would willingly sell if trade called for them.

The banquet committee reported all bills paid and a balance left.

At the next meeting of the board a supper will be served and addresses made. E. B. Conant has consented to talk on real estate values in this city.

Secretary McKenna for the committee on city beautiful, reported that 18,000 circulars had been printed and also certificates engraved to be given out at the schools asking for contributions from the school children of the city toward erecting a monument to Abraham Lincoln at Lincoln park.

The following new members were admitted: Charles H. McIntyre, 12 Hildreth building, attorney-at-law; J. C. Manseau, haberdasher, 544 Merrimack street; Geo. Couzoules, merchant, 521 Market street; Matt. Hutchins, North Billerica, Mass.; Philip Goldman, dry goods, 149 Dutton street; John Boyd, chemist and foreman, Merrimack print works, and others.

SUGGESTIONS TO THE LOCAL CIGAR SMOKERS.

THE CAPITALISTS

Trying to Overcome Financial Depression

TOKIO, May 6.—The amelioration of the financial depression monopolizes the attention of capitaists throughout the country. The conditions are ascribed to the adoption of government measures without consulting the capitalists.

Government bonds are below 80, the standard valuation hitherto has been 80. The financiers are conferring with the financial department with the object of restoring confidence.

A banker connected with the movement said to the Associated Press:

"Japan's finances do not contain an element injurious to the national credit. The prevalent feeling is due to ignorance of the actual state of the national treasury but our debts have matured plans, the adoption of which will certainly remove suspicion and an economic improvement will soon follow. Financiers will shortly pass a resolution which the government, I am well advised, will accept. The result of the present conference will be published in June."

SEASON OPENS

MAINE COLLEGE NINES TO CONTEST TODAY.

BRUNSWICK, Me., May 6.—The Maine intercollegiate baseball championship series of games for 1908 were inaugurated today and will continue till the first week of June. Today Bowdoin plays Colby here and Bates plays Maine at Lewiston. The first game of the Atlantic baseball league scheduled to be played in Maine is at Lewiston this afternoon between Portland and Lewiston.

COLLEGE HEADS

DISCUSS PROBLEMS OF UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 6.—Representatives of the faculties of ten New England colleges met in Providence today to discuss problems of university administration. The institutions represented are Amherst, Bowdoin, Dartmouth, Harvard, Tufts, Maine, Wesleyan, Williams, Yale and Brown and the delegates generally are the deans or assistant deans of the several colleges. The exact nature of the matters to be considered is not made but the widespread attention that has been given recently to the movement to curtail college athletics is supposed to have some place on the program for discussion.

SOMERSET INN

WELL KNOWN SUMMER RESORT WAS BURNED.

BERNARDSVILLE, N. J., May 16.—The Somerset Inn, a well known summer resort, two and a half miles from here, was burned early today. The servants' quarters and laundry building also were destroyed and the firemen had great difficulty saving eight cottages connected with the hotel. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is not yet known but the hotel property carried an insurance of $216,000.

ENGLISH TEAM

NEW YORK, May 6.—Announcement is made that the English polo team that was making arrangements to play a series of matches at Newport, Meadowbrook, Rockaway and other places in this country cannot come this year. William A. Hazard, secretary of the polo association has received word that the proposed visit of the Englishmen has been given up.

WAS SENT TO JAIL

Nap. St. Arno Got Into a Fight

Napoleon St. Arno appeared before Judge Hadley this morning with a pair of artistically decorated eyes. It seems that yesterday he drank too much and shortly after noon was near the corner of Lakeview avenue and Aiken avenue looking for fight. He chased a fellow into the wooded district off the Cumberand road and when the latter got tired running turned around and gave St. Arno all the fight he wanted. St. Arno looked as though he had tried to battle with a road roller. He was sentenced to two months in jail.

NEWS CONFIRMED

REVOLUTIONARY LEADER WAS PUT TO FLIGHT.

LIMA, Peru, May 6.—The news of the defeat of Durand, the revolutionary leader at Cerreo de Pasco and his subsequent flight has been confirmed. This means that the revolutionary movement ,such as it was, haas collapsed and the people are rejoicing. The railroad line has been repaired as far as Casa Palaca and government troops are still advancing into the area where Durand's men operated for the moral effect on the population.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Cotton futures opened firm. May 8.85 bid; June —; July 9.00; Aug. 8.96; Sept. —; Oct. 8.80; Nov. —; Dec. 8.81; Jan. 8.86; Feb. —; March 8.93.

IN POLICE COURT

Prisoner Lied and Was Found Out

IT WAS HIS THIRD OFFENSE

And He Was Sent to Jail

In police court this morning a prisoner who gave his name as George Clark made an attempt to escape a large fine or sentence by claiming that it was his first offense for drunkenness.

Deputy Welch said it was Clark's second offense, but the latter insisted that it was his first. The matter was looked into and it was found that instead of being the second it was the third offense, Clark having been before the court once under the name of George Reynolds. He was sentenced to three months in jail.

Margaret E. Faucher, a second offender, was sentenced to three months in jail. Sentence was suspended and she was placed in the custody of the probation officer.

Joseph Destell, a second offender, was fined $6.

Two simple drunks were released.

Michael McGrath was arrested Sunday and when he appeared in court Monday morning the case was continued because it was thought he was a parole man from the state farm. This was not so, however, and this morning he was fined $5.

Bridget E. Dolan, a fourth offender, was sentenced to Sherborn. She entered an appeal.

Ambrose Gallagher went to the station last night to make a complaint on parties who disturb him and was arrested on the charge of drunkenness. Judge Hadley questioned him this morning and let him go.

SPECIAL NOTICE

A. Smith

The well known Shoe and Furnishing Goods dealer at 483 MIDDLESEX STREET, owing to hard times, has decided to reduce the price of repairing men's and ladies' shoes. You can get the best O. K. tanned taps sewed on with the Goodyear machine for **65c**

Ladies' Taps at **50c** a Pair

All work guaranteed first class, and if not satisfactory we will cheerfully do them over FREE OF CHARGE. We make a specialty of all kinds of repairing, and do the work by machinery while you wait. The lowest prices in the city are here. Bring in your old shoes and we will save you big money. Remember the place,

483 Middlesex Street

First store across the car tracks from the Depot

P. S.—We also have a beautiful line of Gents' Furnishings.

Theatre Voyons

Today The Workingman's Revenge
The Land of the Gold Mines
Indian Bitters.
What One Boy Can Do.

"Where Is My Boy Tonight" and "My Heart Beats Alone for You" are the songs.

TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer

Office, Old Boston & Maine Depot. Storehouse and Commission Rooms, Green Street. Tel. 1485.

Tomorrow Afternoon, May 7th, at 1.30

I SHALL HOLD A FURNITURE SALE AT MY COMMISSION ROOMS AT THE OLD BOSTON & MAINE DEPOT, GREEN STREET,

which consists of two oak chamber sets complete, three iron beds, a very nice black walnut chamber set with hair mattress, 2 oak dining room tables, oak sideboards, dining room chairs (oak), 2 couches, 2 carpets, hall and stair carpets, 2 rugs, a very nice range with hot water front, practically new, some odd chairs, a chiffonier, lamps, lawn mowers, small cider press, refrigerator and lots of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

Special—2 upright pianos, 2 square pianos, a very nice organ, a two-seated Democrat wagon, upholstered in leather, 2 set of harness, a case of 4½ feet by 6½ feet, 8 inches deep with glass door and 75 horse shoes of different varieties. This would make a nice show for some blacksmith.

All the above goods will be on exhibition on and after Tuesday noon until time of sale. Open evenings.

Saturday, May 9, 1908, at 3 p. m.

A VERY NICE SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 3450 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 184 BALDWIN STREET, CORNER OF PERCY.

I shall offer for sale on the premises, regardless of the weather or conditions, this cosy little seven-room cottage. On the first floor there is a good sized hallway, parlor, sitting room, dining room, large kitchen, pantry and bath; on the next floor are three large, airy and well-lighted chambers. There is a good, dry cellar. The house has city water, gas in every room, and is in good condition, inside and out. The lot has large frontages on Baldwin and Percy streets, and contains about 3450 square feet. It is all fenced in. There are two pear trees, a cherry tree, a peach tree, apple tree, large grape vine, lot of raspberry bushes and some small shrubberies. Now, this a grand opportunity for someone who wants a little home where he can have a nice little garden and still be in the city, and just far enough out to have the country air. It is within two lines of electric cars, and not more than three minutes' walk to either line. Now I will guarantee to let a good, liberal mortgage remain; so when you are out for a walk, look this property up. Baldwin street runs from Middlesex to Princeton street.

Terms: $200 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

C. F. KEYES in Charge.

PASTIME THEATRE

OPP. CITY HALL. NO STAIRS TO CLIMB

NEW SHOW TODAY. NEW MOTION PICTURES.

Summer Price 5c

JUST FOR THURSDAY

Your choice of any 97c lawn, batiste or tailored waist just for Thursday **2 for $1.47**

White aprons with a pocket and short strings and seconds of 25c low neck vests Thursday **10c**

Nainsook French covers, two lace insertions in front, and two rows of ribbon, compare them with any 25c cover anywhere, Thursday **15c**

Embroidery and lace trimmed petticoats, regular 98c values, Thursday **50c**

Lace or embroidery trimmed gowns, regular 69c and 98c values, Thursday **50c**

Discontinued styles of 50c gingham petticoats Thursday **29c**

49c lace trimmed drawers, damaged while in transit, Thursday **19c**

We must limit quantities on these bargains

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LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Manager

TONIGHT

Frederic Thompson presents Edward Abeles, the original New York cast.

Brewster's Millions

Exactly as presented for five weeks at the Colonial Theatre, Boston.

Prices: Mat., 25c to $1.00; Eve., 25c to $1.50. Seats on sale.

SATURDAY, MAY 9,

MAY MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Mlle. Glacia Calla
Sig. E. Castellano
M. Victor Occellier
Mlle. Inganoff
Her. Anton Hegner

Prices, 50c to $1.50. Seats on sale.

HATHAWAY'S

THIS WEEK

The Boyer Players present

IN THE BISHOP'S CARRIAGE

By Channing Pollock. A grand production by a carefully selected company, Mr. Alphonz Ethier and Miss Norma Winslow in the leading parts.

Matinees at 2.30—Only Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday. Every Evening at 8.15. Popular prices.

Pianos from Grunewald's.

Annual May Festival

In aid of the

Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children

Opens at Odd Fellows Hall, Middlesex St., May 6-9, from 6 to 11 p. m. Saturday, 2 to 11 p. m.

Wednesday, May 6—Military ball preceded by wall scaling contest for company prize, between members of local companies, M. V. M. Prize competitive drill.

Thursday, May 7—March of Nations, under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin, from 8-9 p. m., followed every 15 minutes by individual specialties.

Friday, May 8, from 8-9—Pickaninny Minstrels under direction of Mr. Fred Blunt; 60 boys, six end men, special jokes and songs. Specialties.

Saturday, 2-5 p. m., children's afternoon. Pickaninny Minstrels, and Miss Perrin's specialties. Punch and Judy, grab bag, toy table.

Saturday evening, 8-9 Picaninny Minstrels, specialties, followed by prize drill of High school cadets, and High school ball.

Good supper Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 5.30 to 7.30. Friday night specialties, fish chowder and steamed clams.

Dancing in banquet hall every night from 9 to 11.

Tickets—Season 50 cents. Single admission 25c; children 15, to be purchased at Ellingwood's or at the door.

Special events in aid of festival.

Tuesday, May 5, Associate hall, volunteer entertainment by members of Y. M. C. I., followed by dancing. Calumet orchestra. Tickets 25 cents.

Thursday May 7—Odd fellows hall, Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's—25 cents.

Friday, Odd Fellows hall, Bridge Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's—25 cents.

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Latest Moving Pictures
Newest Illustrated Songs
Best Vaudeville

Afternoons, 2, 3 and 4. Evenings, 7, 8 and 9.

SEATS—5 CENTS

Change of program Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

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A MOST EXTRAORDINARY SALE

OPENS FRIDAY MORNING

PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE AT THE "STORE FOR QUALITY AND STYLE" FOR ONE OF THE BIGGEST BARGAIN DAY CROWDS SEEN IN A LOWELL STORE FOR A LONG TIME. WHY? HERE'S THE REASON: DURING THE PAST WEEK UPWARDS OF

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WAS BOUGHT IN NEW YORK CITY AT LIBERAL DISCOUNTS FROM REGULAR PRICES. THE EXTRA SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS WILL BE—

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FOR GRADUATING GOWNS, CONFIRMATION DRESSES, CORSET COVERS, UNDERWEAR AND CHILDREN'S FROCKS

At One-Third Regular Prices

ONE HUNDRED SILK PRINCESS AND JUMPER DRESSES IN NAVY, BLACK, COPENHAGEN BLUE, BROWN, CHAMPAGNE, BLACK AND WHITE CHECKS AND STRIPES, FINE QUALITY SILK, FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

At About Half-Price

BLACK VOILE SKIRTS—NEW STYLE SHIRT WAISTS—COLORED SILK PETTICOATS, AND MILLINERY AT A DISCOUNT OF

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